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City Calls $650,000 Bond Election

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Money Needed for Developing New Water Source for Canyon

A $650,000 bond election for expansion of the Canyon water system was called for June 8 by the city commission at a meeting Thursday. The money will be used to acquire and develop a new waterfield located about 12 miles northwest of Canyon. The election calls for two proposals: The issuing of $500,000 in water revenue bonds and the issuing of $150,000 in tax bonds. In order to be approved, the proposals will have to be okayed by only a simple majority of those who vote, and both proposals should carry.

On calling the election, the commission said they do not anticipate any increase in the tax rate or water rates in order to repay the bonds. At a meeting with representatives of the Canyon Chamber of Commerce, the commission said a five-cent tax increase will be added this summer for a different reason.

The commission said that the posting and billing machine used by the city will not handle an odd number of cents, and the tax billings for last year had to be figured and put on the tax statements by hand. In raising the rate to $1.30 from $1.25, the machine will be able to figure the tax and put in on the statements.

The commission emphasized that the increase of five cents has nothing whatever to do with the bond election, and would be put into effect regardless of any water system expansion.

The $650,000 to be raised by the bond election will be used to purchase right rights on four sections of land, three sections at $50 an acre and one at $10 an acre; drilling three six-inch wells; installing 4,000 feet of eight-inch gathering pipe line; moving and installing the steel water tank given the city by the Santa Fe; and installing 74,300 feet of 16-inch pressure pipe from the waterfield to the city.

The commission also signed a contract with R. A. Underwood and Company of Dallas for the company to act as fiscal agents for the city. The contract calls for payment of $3.65 per bond if the election carries.

In negotiations with Underwood, the commission was told that the city is in good financial shape, and can stand the borrowing of additional money.

The bonds which will be issued if the election carries will be 30-year bonds with a 15-year option. In the event that the bond market improves, the city could call in the bonds after 15 years and re-issue them at a lower rate of interest.

Underwood told the commission that the $650,000 in bonds would sell at an interest rate between 3.75 and 4 per cent. The election proposal states that the interest rate cannot be more than 4.75 per cent.

Estimates of the city's consulting engineer, Bill McMorries of Amarillo, show that the $650,000 proposed in the bond election will be sufficient to complete the entire expansion project if the contracts can be let before the first of July.

He told the commission that the price of steel will be increased beginning July 1 at a rate between five and seven per cent, and any pipe purchased after that date would be higher by that much.

McMorries estimated that the 74,300 feet of 16-inch pipe will cost $360,355 installed, the 4000 feet of eight-inch pipe will cost $11,600 installed, the three wells will cost $37,500 and it will take $4,000 to move and revamp the steel tank. The water rights on the four secitons will cost $102,400.

A figure of $134,135 has been added to the proposal to take care of engineering fees, supervision, advertising, legal fees, paying the Underwood company, handling construction bonds, allowing for any price increases in materials and other contingencies.

Explaining why the city will be able to float a new bond issue and repay it without raising taxes or water rates, the commission said that the new bond repayment schedule will be dovetailed with the old schedule to make the annual payments no higher than at present.

For the first several years, only interest will be paid on the new bonds while the old bonds are being liquidated. After that time, the city will begin to pay principal.

Under the present bond retirement schedule, the city would have been completely out of debt in 1973. The principal and interest payments in 1956 were $62,054.89. For 1957, the payments will be $58,385. Each succeeding year, the payments will be lower.

The outstanding water and sewer revenue bonds will be paid off in 1968. The outstanding tax bonds will be paid off in 1973.

Under the proposed schedule for paying off the proposed $650,000 bond issue, the city would pay interest only on the $500,000 revenue bonds until 1968. In that year, the city would begin paying principal.

In 1966, the annual requirements for paying off the existing

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Beginning Pupils' Parents To Meet

Will Help Prepare For Coming Year

A roundup of parents who will have children entering the first grade this fall has been planned for Thursday night. The meeting will begin at 7:30 p. m. in the auditorium of the Canyon Elementary School.

A letter, questionaire and information booklet were sent to parents whose children were included on the scholastic census roll. An invitatoin has also been issued to parents who moved into the Canyon district after Feb. 1. Children are not expected at the meeting.

"We feel that this information will be of much value to you in getting your child ready for school. It is our feeling, however, that we can better acquaint ourselves with you, and you with us, by having a meeting of all parents who will have children entering school for the first time this September," the letter said.

The questionaire details things that the child entering school should know, be able to do and the attitudes he should have. Included are questions such as "Does your child know his full name?", "Has he had a physical checkup?" and "Can he see a task through to completion without having to be reminded constantly?"

It explains that small pox vaccinations are required of all children in school, and diptheria immunizations are required of first graders. It also suggests that first grade children should be immunized against whooping cough and typhoid fever.

The sheet also tells parents how they may help prepare their children for first grade work through use of scissors, color books, simple puzzles, games, stories and looking at and interpreting picture books.

It also asks parent's aid in explaining to children that they will not begin to read immediately upon entering school.

In addition to the vaccination and immunizations, first graders are required to present a birth certificate upon registration in the fall.

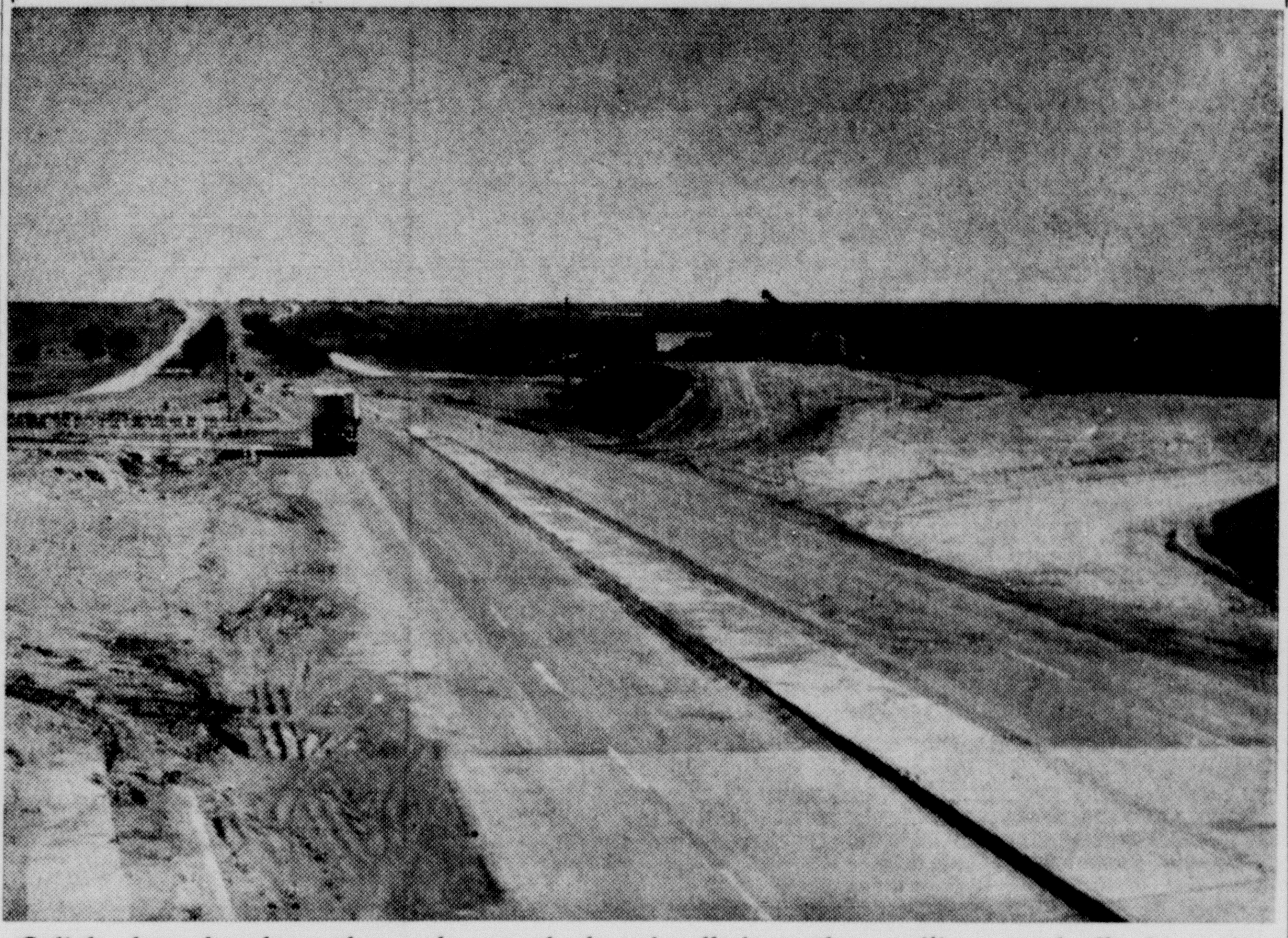
Student Recreation Set This Weekend

Canyon Community Recreation party nights are slated Friday and Saturday. The junior high school night is Friday from 8 to 10 p. m., and the high school party is Saturday from 8 to 11:30 p. m.

Party games are the schedule of events for the junior high school students, and a formal ball and games for those who do not dance are planned for the high school students.

Mrs. Floyd Moore, Ann and Larry were in Wellington Sunday visiting in the home of Mrs. Levi Lawrence.

Construction Moves Along



Caliche base has been dumped, smoothed and rolled on the auxiliary roads flanking the main highway of the Amarillo to Canyon Expressway. This week, the crews began fixing the turnoff point from the main road through the cut, in the right foreground.

More Than 700 Attend Fellowship Of Church of Christ Bible Chair

An increase in Church of Christ Bible class enrollments of 674 per cent has been noted in the past 2½ years, C. L. Kay, director of the Church of Christ Bible Chair at West Texas State, said at the third annual Bible Chair Fellowship meeting last week.

More than 700 members of the Church of Christ from four states attended the annual meeting, held in the college auditorium. Dr. M. Norvel Young, minister of the Broadway Church of Christ in Lubbock, was the keynote speaker.

The need of Bible chairs in state colleges was emphasized in Dr. Young's speech. "The Bible chairs and the Christian college complement one another; they are both needed," he said.

He said he appreciates the relationship that exists between the college administration and the Bible chair.

In detailing the growth of the Bible chair at WT, Kay said that financial support has increased from $175 a month to approximately $1000.

"The success of the chair cannot be attributed to any one factor, but namely to the Churches of Christ in West Texas, the college administration, a wonderful student body and the cooperation of the faculty members of West Texas State College. Those things made the Church of Christ Bible Chair the chair of religion that it is," he said.

Before the evening meeting, those attending had supper in the college cafeteria. While some were eating, others were looking at student exhibits in the Bible chair building.

The exhibits featured the Christian student in college, representing a majority of the college departments. Some of the departments represented were Art, Bible, Social Science, Education, Agriculture, Industiral Arts, Languages, Chemistry, Biology, Geology, Mathematics, Home Economics and ROTC.

Dean Walter H. Juniper welcomed those attending, expressing his appreciation for the work being done by the Church of Christ on the campus of the college.

A male quartet entertained and Joe Don Leach of Tulia played a trumpet solo.

Dr. J. B. Roberts and Gene Mickey also told of the work of the Bible chair. The meeting ended with a short devotional service.

B. Wayne Hinds, who will be in charge of the music department at Lubbock Christian College, led the singing. John G. Reece, minister of the San Jacinto Church of Christ in Amarillo, led the closing prayer.

States represented at the fellowship meeting were New Mexico, Oklahoma, Wyoming and Texas.

Cities represented were Amarillo, Adrian, Anton, Bula, Briscoe, Claude, Dumas, Canyon, Dalhart, Fritch, Happy Hereford, Floydada, Littlefield, Lubbock, Lockney, Memphis, Spearman, Silverton, Sunray, Tulia, Panhandle, Plainview, Friona, Vega, Portales, N. M., Goodwell, Guymon and Hooker, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dowell of Lubbock and Mrs. Ruth Hill spent the weekend in Dumas in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Cavitt.

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Chamber Okays City Water Plan

The board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce endorsed the plan of the city commission for expansion of the city water system and voted support of the bond election at a meeting Monday.

The endorsement came on the recommendation of the Civic Development committee. The committee met with the city commission and received a detailed explanation of the expansion and bond plan.

In addition to the endorsement, the chamber directors pledged support of a campaign to get the voters to turn out for the election, in view of the fact that the larger the vote registered the lower the interest rate may be on the bonds.

The Civic Development committee met with the city commission and the city's consulting engineer, Bill McMorries, Friday morning for a discussion that lasted nearly two hours.

All phases of the city's shortage of water and the plan to alleviate the shortage were covered. The committee recommended endorsement of the city plan to the chamber's board Monday.

Moisture Total Breaks 6 Inches

One of the hardest rains of this year fell over the area early Saturday morning, bringing .80 of an inch of moisture to Canyon in about three hours.

Another rain Saturday afternoon showered an additional .11 of an inch and a third shower Sunday night brought .08 of an inch to bring the weekend total to .99 of an inch of moisture.

For the year, the moisture total in Canyon is 6.40 inches.

Higher totals have been reported from various parts of the county, with some as high as 10 inches. Many parts of the county have received more moisture already this year than they did all of last year.

Concert Features Instructors' Works

Compositions by two of West Texas State College's faculty members will be featured when the Concert Band appears in a program of contemporary music Thursday at 8 p. m. in the Administration Building auditorium.

The public is invited to the concert, held annually by the 75-piece band, and being held as the concluding program this year of WT's Festival of the Arts. The band is conducted by M. J. Newman, head of the WT music department.

Among the six numbers to be performed are Dr. Houston Bright's "Prelude and Fugue in F Minor" and David Kaplan's "Concert March." Both were completed last month by the composers, and both will be performed for the first time.

Kaplan's selection, he said, has contemporary flavor and features some unusual combinations of instruments. The march form has been elaborated upon, using various instruments for variation.

"It is a sombre composition," Kaplan said, "and it might have been subtitled 'Marche Bombasto'."

Sketched in January and scored in April, Dr. Bright's "Prelude and Fugue" is the composer's fifth selection for band. He has had some of his band numbers, and dozens of choruses published.

The Fugue, Dr. Bright said, is mildly dissonant, while the prelude has considerable dissonance. It features four separate melodies being played simultaneously, and might be called a fugue for four voices.

Only soloist to appear on the program will be Ruth Massey, a freshman from Tulia. She will play the alto saxophone portion for Alfred Reed's "Ballade."

Other selections to be played are "Flag of Stars" by Gordon Jacobs, "Santa Fe Saga" by Morton Gould, and "La Fiesta Mexicana" by H. Owen Reed. The latter number has three movements, "Prelude and Aztec Dance," "Mass," and "Carnival."

Little League Needs Volunteer Help To Finish Ball Park Construction

With the first scheduled game less than three weeks away, volunteer workers are needed every afternoon at the Randall County Little League park, president O. W. Parker has announced.

Yet to be installed at the park are the screen, lighting system and dugouts. The ground needs to be prepared for grass and the diamond must be laid out.

Since last Wednesday afternoon, the outfield and infield fences have been built and holes for the dugouts and light poles have been dug.

Volunteers should show up at the park between 5 and 7:30 p. m., Parker said.

Tryouts for the teams were finished Tuesday afternoon.

The player auction, when the managers of the four teams will bid for players, will be held Monday. On Friday, the managers must submit a list of players they would like to have to the Player Agent, Truett Hull.

The player auction will be secret, but the team assignments will be announced as soon as possible so the teams can begin practice. All boys who registered for the tryouts and who are not assigned to major league

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Society Officers

Frank Shaller, left, of Canadian was elected first vice president and Floyd V. Studer of Amarillo president of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society Friday. M. K. Brown of Pampa was elected second vice president.

Swimming Prices Set for Year

Prices for use of the swimming pool in Conner Park were set by the Canyon City Commission at a meeting last week, and hours have been announced by the pool manager, Jodie Mahan.

Season ticket prices will be $8 for children 12 and under and $10 for teenagers and adults. An extra charge of $2 will be made for those who take lessons. Season tickets are on sale at the city hall.

Anyone desiring the swimming lessons will be required to purchase a season ticket. Single admission prices will be 20 cents for children 12 and under, 30 cents for teenagers and 40 cents for adults.

The pool will open June 10 and organization of swimming lesson classes will begin June 17. Mahan has asked that all beginners report to the pool at 9:30 a. m. June 17, and intermediate and advanced swimmers report June 18 at 9:30 a. m.

A minimum age of five has been set by Mahan for beginning swimming lessons.

In addition to hiring Mahan as pool manager, the city commission hired Ronnie Mills as lifeguard.

Mahan is attempting to organize a swimming club of adults and young married couples to use the pool on Monday nights. He said that many adults do not like to go swimming when lots of children are in the pool and feels that they would like to swim at a different time.

If the club is organized, he plans to set up games tables at the pool for use when the swimmers are resting. He asks that anyone interested in the idea write him at Box 681, W. T. Station.

Tuesday nights will be set aside for use of people from surrounding towns and communities. Thursday nights will be an open swim for anyone who likes to swim at night.

Private parties may rent the pool on nights other than Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. Mahan should be contacted by those who wish to rent the pool.

Hours for the pool will be from 1:30 p. m. to sometime between 6 and 7 p. m. The closing hour will be determined by the manager to correlate with the needs of patrons.

When the pool is open at nights, it will be closed at 9:30 p. m.

Mrs. Clark Wins in Affiliated Contest

Mrs. D. P. Clark was winner of $150 in the Affiliated Stores' $20,000 cash contest last week.

The contest continues for six more weeks. The weekly first prize is $1000 cash. Other prizes are $500, second; $250, third; $150, fourth; and $100, fifth.

The drawing is held each Thursday afternoon at 3 p. m.

Affiliated stores in Canyon are Cooper's Market, Taylor and Sons and Bellah's Super Market.

Floyd V. Studer Elected President Of Historical Society at Annual Meet

Floyd V. Studer of Amarillo was elected president of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society at the 36th annual membership meeting Friday afternoon in the museum.

Other officers elected were Frank Shaller of Canadian, first vice president, and M. K. Brown of Pampa, second vice president.

Outgoing President Henry Sears of Hereford announced that the legislature had appropriated approximately $30,000 a year for operation of the museum for the next two years.

Boone McClure told the meeting that there are 427 persons on the membership rolls, including 240 annual members. He urged a membership drive be started for additional society members.

During the past year, some 75,000 persons from each of the 48 states and most of the nations outside the Iron Curtain visited the museum, he said.

Ernest Archembeau of Amarillo announced that the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce has offered to finance publication of a map of historical sites in this area. The list of sites is contained in the files of the society.

Studer and Jack T. Hughes, curator of anthropology of the museum, said that the anthropology department had made 77 field trips, recorded 294 Indian sites, excavated two Indian sites and recorded 22 new fossil sites during the past year.

During the annual banquet Friday night, Dr. James P. Cornette, president of West Texas State, presented benefactor awards to J. Evetts Haley and Harold Bugbee. A person gains benefactor status when he gives money or articles worth $5,000 or more. Gifts are cumulative.

EDITORIAL

Views and Comments

"It's a wise father that knows his own child." (from *The Merchant of Venice* by William Shakespeare)

Using that as a guide, you are free to draw your own conclusions about Dave Beck, president of the Teamsters Union, who last week declined to answer a question about whether he knew his son, Dave Beck Jr.

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Sometimes I can't remember anything, and other times I'm pretty forgetful. Like last week. I forgot to put a story in the paper telling that Canyon received .11 of an inch of drizzle from May 8 through May 10.

That made a total of 5.41 inches of moisture for the year. We've had more since then.

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Hoping to expand the services and attractions of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum, the historical society asked the legislature for a grant of $36,000 this year (that's $36,000 a year for two years) from the state legislature. The last appropriation was for $26,000 a year.

With the additional money, the society planned to add a curator of exhibits and a programmer to the staff of the museum. When the money bill was reported out of committee, the appropriation had been cut to $30,000, still an increase over the last amount.

The cutback from the planned budget could have caused considerable moaning among members of the executive committee of the society—and for all I know it did cause moaning.

But the executive committee came up with this suggestion: Instead of leaning on the legislature for money to expand the museum services, the society should raise additional money by membership.

And that's as sound a suggestion as anyone could make.

The society and the museum are dedicated to the idea of uncovering, preserving and displaying the history and pre-history of the area where we live. The orange-picker down in the Valley and the logger in deep East Texas have little direct interest in furthering the work of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society.

Yet, when money is appropriated from the legislature, those people are taxed to help the society and the museum.

The society started the museum on a self-help basis. It obtained money from the legislature for the original building with the proposition that the people of this area should put up as much money as possible. The present executive committee sees no reason why individualism should be dead now, either.

So from the executive committee, and from other members, too, came this recommendation: What the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society needs is more members, and not more money from the legislature.

For an additional 1,000 annual members, the society would net $4,000 after printing enough copies of the annual Review for the extra members.

The society is not asking for donations of $100, although it will take any donations with pleasure. What the society wants is a flood of $5 memberships.

What does a $5 membership get you? On the tangible side of the ledger, it gets you a copy of the annual review, which will include a compilation of the art work in the museum and the history of the founding of Amarillo in the 1957 edition due in the fall. Other articles on Panhandle-Plains history will be included.

On the intangible side of the ledger, you get many things. Pride in the place where you live. A feeling of being a part of the Panhandle, and a feeling of belonging to the heritage of this area. You help maintain a place where you can take visitors and know that they will be impressed. You help keep a place where your children can be shown the things that make the Panhandle of Texas different from any place in the world.

From the standpoint of business, the location of the museum in Canyon has an effect that can hardly be measured. Simply because the museum is here, people from every state in the Union come to Canyon. Last year, 75,000 people signed the register at the front desk, and many others visited the museum but didn't sign up.

The register shows signatures of people from practically every nation in the world, with the possible exception of some of the Iron Curtain countries.

For the past year, the society roll includes only 240 annual members—those who pay $5 a year. There were 10 sustaining members—those who pay $10 a year. Were you listed among those?

Some of the members of the society are pretty well off financially, and that has the unfortunate effect of making the society seem above the heads of most of us. But most of the members are "poor boys," too, even as you and I.

If you would like to help yourself by becoming a member of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society—and in all conscience, I can't see how anyone can afford not to be—you should contact Boone McClure at once. Don't let the fact that high school history bored you to death hold you back. Join up today, you can't miss.

(Shoot, I've sold myself. Excuse me for a minute while I run to the museum to sign up.)

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Friend Pat O'Keefe, of the Amarillo College distributive education staff and a member of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce, gave me a compilation of the recommendations of "666" meetings of Amarillo High, Palo Duro High, Price College, Carver High, Amarillo College and West Texas State students. The "666" meetings, as you remember, work this way. A group of people is split into groups of six, and is given a set amount of time to decide what things are most needed for Amarillo. At the end of that time, one from each group of six is regrouped into sets of six. Then, one from each of those groups joins to make a final six, each time taking along recommendations from the various groups.

Well, anyhow, when the findings of all those students are tabulated, it shows that the young people think Amarillo should have more recreation, first of all.

The poll was made of 50 WT students. Eleven thought Amarillo should have year 'round recreation facilities; two called for better teen age recreation facilities not school supervised; one wanted a roller coaster; one wanted Thompson Park enlarged; and one said more swimming pools are needed.

Two said Amarillo should have better recreational facilities for young adults; one wants specialized cafes with "atmosphere;" and one thinks Amarillo should be advertised as a resort center.

Three West Texas students said there should be better relations between Amarillo and Canyon and one said the Canyon and Amarillo city governments should be integrated. One called for building a new air terminal between Amarillo and Canyon. One Amarillo High student said Potter and Randall Counties should be combined.

Incidentally, four Palo Duro, one Carver and 20 Amarillo High students think Amarillo should have air raid shelters, of all things.—BC

Happy Birthday

May 16

Laura Ruth Thompson
Harry Fuqua
Ruby Lee Hales
Mrs. A. B. Duncan
Donell Cheyne
Douglas Marshall
Billie Joe McBroom
Mrs. Wm. Grabbe
Austelle Burrus
Mrs. Thos. D. Ficke
Mrs. Betty Hicks

May 17

N. T. (Dick) Dickerson
Bob Cole
Mrs. Bryce Slack
Mrs. Dan Gayler
Harold Byars
Ed Gerald
Donna Gayle Hanks
James Craig
Judge Pierce
Wayne Trout

May 18

Viola Beckman
Cheryl Ann McClure
Janis Wright

May 19

Dana Persons
Audrey Faye Knox
Frances Hand
Sadie Lea Higgins
J. W. Fain
June Gressett
Joan Gressett

May 20

Mrs. Warren Lockhart
J. D. Hollabaugh
Mary Anna Thomas
Colleen Bonnington
Raleigh Paul Webber

May 21

Jean Maynard
Donna Marie Erwin
Grace Weller
Grace Schaeffer
Mrs. John Brandt
Judy Byars
Virginia Leake

May 22

R. E. Prichard Jr.
Merrie Elizabeth Kendrick
Fred Soll
Nilburn Davis
James Meyers

Penicks Are Hosts For Class Luncheon

The Woman's Wesley Bible Class of the First Methodist Church had a covered dish luncheon May 8 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Penick. Bouquets of tulips and lilacs decorated the rooms.

Guests present were E. C. Penick, Mrs. Harry Hungate, the Rev. and Mrs. Doyle Ragle and Mrs. Art Roberts. Members of the class attending were Mrs. J. A. Wiseman, Mrs. J. L. Moore, Mrs. Mittie Workman, Mrs. Hattie Brasuel, Mrs. Rose Hungate, Mrs. Mary Jenkins, Mrs. J. M. Barton and Elizabeth Cox and M. Moss Richardson.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF RANDALL
CITY OF CANYON

TO THE RESIDENT, QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CANYON, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID CITY AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in the City of Canyon, Texas, on the 8th day of June, 1957, on the propositions and at the place more particularly set forth in the resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners on the 9th day of May, 1957, ordering said election, which is as follows:

RESOLUTION

CALLING AN ELECTION ON THE QUESTION OF THE ISSUANCE OF $500,000.00 WATERWORKS AND SEWER SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS AND ON THE QUESTION OF THE ISSUANCE OF $150,000.00 WATERWORKS SYSTEM TAX BONDS.

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the City of Canyon, Texas, deems it advisable to issue the bonds of the said City for the purposes hereinafter mentioned;

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF CANYON, TEXAS:

1. That an election be held in said City of Canyon, Texas, on the 8th day of June, 1957, at which election the following propositions shall be submitted:

PROPOSITION NO. 1

"Shall the Board of Commissioners of the City of Canyon, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of said City in the amount of $500,000.00, maturing serially in such installments as may be fixed by the Board of Commissioners, the maximum maturity being not more than Thirty (30) years from their date, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed Four and three-fourths (4¾%) per cent per annum, for the purpose of improving and extending the Waterworks System of said City, to be issued in accordance with and secured in the manner provided in Aritcles 1111-1118, both inclusive, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended, Chapter 249, Acts of the Regular Session of the 51st Legislature and Chapter 250, Acts of the 51st Legislature, as amended by Chapter 23, Acts of the 52nd Legislature, each bond to be conditioned that the holder thereof shall never have the right to demand payment of said obligation out of funds raised or to be raised by taxation, secured by a pledge of the net revenues from the City's Waterworks and Sewer System."

PROPOSITION NO. 2

"Shall the Board of Commissioners of the City of Canyon, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of said City in the amount of $150,000.00, maturing serially in such installments as may be fixed by the Board of Commissioners, the maximum maturity being not more than Twenty (20) years from their date, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed Four and three-fourths (4¾%) per cent per annum, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest as it accrues and principal as it matures on said issue of bonds, for the purpose of improving and extending the Waterworks System of said City, as authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas."

2. That said election shall be held at the City Hall within said City, and the following named persons are hereby appointed directors of said election, to-wit:

Jack Jennings, Presiding Judge,
Bill Sternenberg, Ass't Judge,
Roland Black, Clerk,
Delbert Lowes, Clerk.

3. The said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 1, Title 22 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended, including the provisions of Article 704, as amended, and only legally qualified electors who own taxable property in the City and who have duly rendered the same for taxation shall be qualified to vote.

4. The ballots for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

PROPOSITION NO. 1

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF WATERWORKS AND SEWER SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS"
"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF WATERWORKS AND SEWER SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS"

PROPOSITION NO. 2

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF WATERWORKS SYSTEM TAX BONDS"
"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF WATERWORKS SYSTEM TAX BONDS"

Concerning each of the above propositions, each voter shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote on such proposition.

5. A substantial copy of this resolution signed by the Mayor of said City and attested by the City Clerk shall serve as proper notice of said election. Notice shall be given in accordance with Article 704, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended. The Mayor is authorized and directed to have a copy of said notice posted at the City Hall and at two other public places within said City not less than fifteen days prior to the date fixed for holding said election. He shall also cause said notice to be published on the same day in each of two successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published within said City, the date of first publication to be not less than fourteen days prior to the date set for said election. Except as otherwise provided in said Article 704, as amended, the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws governing general elections.

ADOPTED and APPROVED this the 9th day of May, 1957.

HOSEA FOSTER
Mayor, City of Canyon, Texas

ATTEST:
ANDREW BOGGS
City Clerk, City of Canyon, Texas

Four Women Give HD Club Program

The Edgetown Home Demonstration Club met recently in the home of Mrs. Roland Hicks and had a program on allergies, which was given by Mrs. Jeannette Robbins assisted by Mrs. Billie Sorgee and Mrs. Frank Phillips.

Gingerbread and coffee were served to Mrs. J. C. Hutchinson, Mrs. Lauerne Hamilton, Mrs. Max Bosley, Mrs. W. D. Walker Jr., visitors, and members, Mrs. Loneta Campfield, Mrs. Eva Curb, Mrs. Lillie Foster, Mrs. Jancy Hines, Mrs. Alice Johnson, Mrs. Olga Phillips, Mrs. Robbins, Mrs. Myrtle Stratton and Mrs. Myrtle Sparks.

WHO KNOWS?

1. What was Joseph Stalin's surname?
2. Which letter of the alphabet is used most?
3. Who coined the phrase "Iron Curtain?"
4. Where are the Atlas Mountains?
5. What battle ended the era of armored knights?
6. For what purpose was the Louve, Paris' most famous art museum, first used?
7. Who wrote, "To err is human, to forgive divine?"
8. Where did the Shetland pony come from?
9. Where is the world's lowest point?
10. What causes oil from oil wells to flow upward?

The Answers

1. Djugashvili.
2. The letter "e."
3. Winston Churchill, at Fulton, Mo., on March 4, 1948.
4. In Northwest Africa, extending from Morocco to Tunisia.
5. The Battle of Agincourt, fought in 1445, between France and England.
6. It was the chief Palace of French kings.
7. Alexander Pope.
8. Originally, from the Shetland Islands, off the coast of Scotland.
9. The Dead Sea, in Palestine, which is 1,286 feet below sea level.
10. Gas pressure from inside the well.

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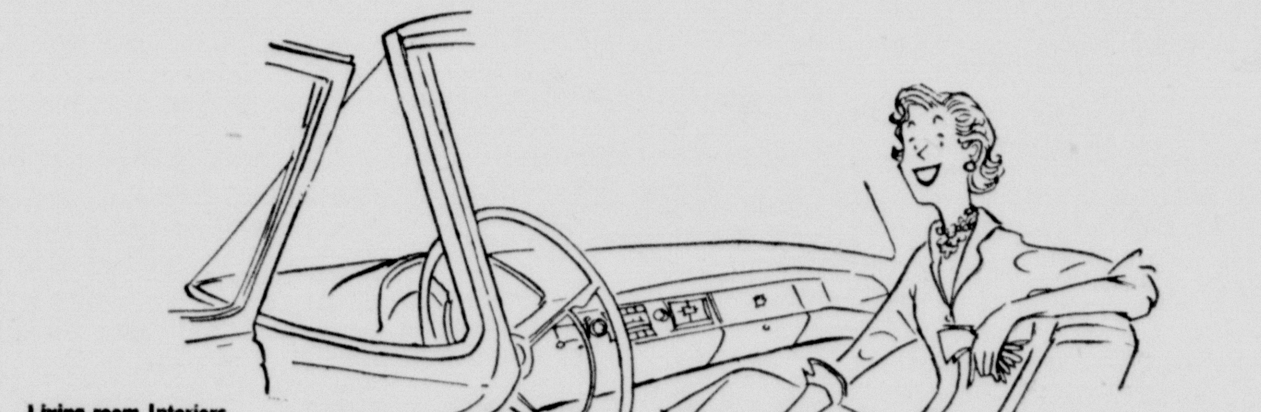

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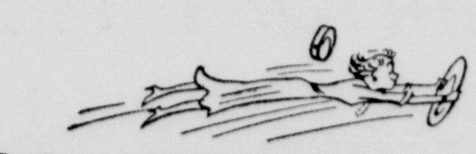

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NEWS LETTER

FROM CONGRESSMAN WALTER ROGERS OF THE 18TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

The Important Issues Yet To Be Determined

Although Congress has done a great deal of work this year on various and sundry matters, it has yet to tackle the really tough issues. Of course, the leading one of these is the Civil Rights bill which is now pending in the Rules Committee of the House. It has been pending in that Committee for some time and efforts are being made now to have it reported out.

In fact, one member of Congress has introduced a discharge petition to discharge the Rules Committee from further consideration of the bill so that it may come before the House of Representatives forthwith. This discharge petition will require the signatures of 218 members before it will be effected.

Chances are the bill will be reported out of the Rules Committee before a sufficient number of members signs the discharge petition.

A number of members have asked to be heard on the bill before the Rules Committee finally acts on it. Most of these are in opposition to the measure.

In any event, it is anticipated there will be a hot fight on the Floor of the House when it comes up. It is a bill on which there is no middle ground. Those who are opposed to it are at one extreme while those in support of it are at the other.

The reason for this is that the bill has been advertised by the proponents as a "Civil Rights" bill. The people generally have never been given information explaining the various whys and wherefores in the measure.

This situation places many members of Congress who hail from districts populated by various nationalities, on somewhat of a spot. They are not asked to discuss and explain the bill but are merely asked the question, "Are you for or against Civil Rights?"

Of course, everyone is for the right of each American citizen as guaranteed under the Constitution, but it is impossible to assume that the bill in question would serve to protect or preserve those rights. In fact, a statute does not have the effect of a provision of the Constitution.

Therefore, if the rights guaranteed under the Constitution are not protected by the Constitution, how in the world could such rights be protected by a statute? The truth is that the rights due every American citizen are guaranteed under the Constitution and are so protected and so preserved.

There is no need for a bill such as that now pending before the Congress as the "Civil Rights Bill." This bill was designed in the minds of those who are intent upon prying into the personal affairs and business of others, to invade the right of privacy of more.

Although I would not charge the proponents of these measures were prompted by desires to bring about federal dictatorship in this country, I would hasten to warn that one of the necessary tools to an effective dictatorship is the right to invade the privacy of the home and to encroach upon private and business affairs of free people.

I would warn these advocates that they weigh very carefully the tools with which they profess to save so-called minority groups, lest they destroy the rights of all people in this country.

Other matters yet to be decided include housing legislation which may prove highly controversial but which must be forthcoming at an early date if many segments of our economy are to be stabilized. Also to be considered will be the highly controversial federal aid to schools program.

Of course, the appropriation bills that have been passed by the House, but not acted upon by the Senate, will be returned to the House after Senate amendments have been added. This will undoubtedly cause much controversy in the closing days of this session of the Congress.

Most of the controversial issues which require the expenditure of money (and practically all of them do) always come up for double treatment. First, they are hotly debated on the authorization legislation; secondly, on the provision of funds to administer them.

We are also without agricultural legislation this session, but hope that something can be worked out to correct this. Several veterans bills of importance are yet to be heard and the Congress has not yet faced the perennial Alaska-Hawaii statehood matter.

The bombshell that was dropped into this session of Congress, and slowed things down considerably, was the President's $72 billion dollar budget. As soon as this hit Capitol Hill the battle was on, and incidentally it still is. The great clamor from the grassroots for a measurable cut in the budget increased the mail of Congress several times.

This situation also focused the minds of the people of this country on the fact that a tax cut would be in order for those who needed it most and who have not received it. The insistence for a cut in the budget and a tax cut took precedence over numerous other matters in the minds of many members of Congress.

I was very happy to see this because I have felt for a long time that it would take a drastic move on the part of the populace as a whole to awaken government officials to what the people were actually thinking.

Especially was this true with relation to a tax cut. I am deeply encouraged by the statements that have been issued by many in the Executive Branch of this government, as well as the Legislative, that a tax cut was in sight.

In fact, a number in the Legislative Branch have advocated the program I have been supporting since coming to Congress; that is, the increase in the individual and dependents exemption allowance. Several more bills to bring about this result have been introduced recently.

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Members Tell Why They Like HD Club

Members of the Edgetown Home Demonstration Club told Friday why they enjoy the home demonstration club. The club decided that Mrs. Billie Sorgee's reason—she enjoys the club because of the authentic information given through the agent's office—was the reason the club valued most highly.

The women also heard the history of home demonstration work as told by Mrs. Frank Phillips assisted by her husband.

Refreshments of angel food cake, ice cream, sandwiches and coffee were served by the hostess, Mrs. C. H. Stratton, to Mrs. Pat Stevens, Mrs. W. H. Sparks, Mrs. Sorgee, Mrs. Mary Donnell, Mrs. E. Gidden, Mrs. H. C. Gentry, Mrs. Jeannette Robbins, Mrs. Joan Hicks, Mrs. Harry Campfield and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, and Mrs. K. E. Hines.

May Day, when we were very young, was quite a time.

In an atmosphere of great secrecy, we kids spent several days beforehand making small, flimsy baskets of bright construction paper. We filled them with wild flowers, spring roses or fruit blossoms, hung them on doorknobs and ran away. This was supposed to be done at dawn. We never managed to get up quite that early, but some wise oldster convinced us that "before breakfast" was just as good.

For the extra-special baskets we cut the paper in strips and interlaced it for a woven look. Then, if feeling creative, we'd make handles of chain-like links.

The flowers must have been sad specimens by the time we had gathered them in hto little hands and delivered our favors by short-leg scamper to neighborhood doors.

We remember only one maypole in that windswept prairie town where we grew up. It was at an elocution class recital, at night, in the opera house. Pink streamers were attached to pink wrapped hoops and little girls in white flounce dresses wearing pink hair ribbons became so confused with weaving in and out around the maypole that the streamers were a hopeless tangle. But everyone laughed and it was gay.

We never knew the origin of the May Day idea, but it probably came from the early English custom of going a-maying. In medieval and Tudor England a public holiday was declared and all classes of people were up with the dawn and out into the woods and meadows. Branches of trees and flowers were brought back to the villages and at the center of the procession was the maypole, glorious with ribbons and wreaths of flowers. In Rome, it was the middle of the Floralla, a three-day festival honoring their goddess of flowers and spring.

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Mrs. Bob Costley Gives Club Program

gram May 9 for the Las Amigas Home Demonstration Club in the home of Mrs. Glenn Costley.

Her program concerned covering weddings, ironing, freezing eggs, health, poison and children.

Mrs. Harley Burrus was welcomed as a new member.

Refreshments were served to members and a guest, Mrs. Bob Gatten. The next meeting will be May 23 in the home of Mrs. Toni Dewey.

Brenda Brooks Has Her First Birthday

Brenda Gayle Brooks, daughter of Mrs. Frank Brooks, had her first birthday party Friday.

Cake, ice cream and soda pop were served to Mrs. Beryl Hamblen, Vicki and Kenny, Mrs. Jan Forrest and Pam, Mrs. Mary Foster and Kathy and Mrs. Albert Craig.

• MISCELLANEOUS

WILL DO BABY SITTING in my home. Fenced back yard. See Mrs. George Thomas. 1703 6th Ave. OL5-3476. 2tf

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Roy Joe Stevens, County Judge
Attest: T. H. Lair, County Clerk 6t2

Fairview Breezes

We have been blessed with more rain. We received 1.40 from Friday until Sunday morning.

We haven't had church or Sunday School services for the past three Sundays as the roads have been bad.

Charles Sutton had major surgery in Neblett Hospital May 4 and on May 11 he was not doing so good. Mrs. Sutton had come home on May 10 for a much needed rest as she had been at his bedside since the operation, but she was sent for and had to be pulled to the highway by tractor. There is not late news as to his condition.

Hollis Shipman was in Amarillo Tuesday on business.

Mrs. H. H. Shipman cooks for the Lions Club of Happy on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wesley were visiting in the Woodrow Wesley home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Wesley and Lavena Amerson visited with the H. H. Shipmans Sunday.

Fay Scott and her friend and Mrs. Ella Hext were visiting in the Woodrow Wesley home Sunday afternoon.

The home demonstration club women sold sandwiches, pies and coffee at the Edd Moore farm sale last Tuesday.

The HD club will meet this Friday at the home of Serena Bryan. The agent will meet with the club.

May 25 and 26 at the McKenzie Park in Lubbock will be the dates for the annual Wesley reunion. Everyone connected with the Wesleys is cordially invited to come.

Howard-Collier Wedding Planned

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Howard are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Annie Jean, to Gene Collier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Truett Collier. The wedding will be June 14 in the home of Mrs. M. W. Hicks.

A.A.U.W. Meeting To Be in Amarillo

Area 1 meeting of the A.A.U.W. will be held Staurday, May 18, at the Amarillo Country Club. Mrs. Frederic Gilstrap of Albuquerque, N. M., second vice president of the association, will be guest speaker.

Members of the Canyon branch are requested to notify Mrs. Dan Sanders by Friday if they are planning to attend the luncheon at 12:30.

Major W. L. Lockhart of Honolulu was in Canyon Monday for a short visit with his mother-in-law, Mrs. T. V. Slack. He came to the States to attend the golden wedding anniversary of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Lockhart, in Big Spring last Sunday. After three years in Hawaii, Major and Mrs. Lockhart will be stationed in Montgomery, Ala., in July.

Carolyn Davis and Bobby Harris Wed

Candlelight nuptial vows were read Saturday evening, May 11, for Carolyn Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Davis of Canyon, and Bobby Gene Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Harris, of Miami, Texas, in the Joseph A. Hill Chapel on the campus of West Texas State College.

The Rev. D. L. Hunt read the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with arrangements of white gladiola and pink snapdragons flanked by candelabra.

Jackie Jackson of Miami, organist, played the traditional wedding marches. Joy Oldham, pianist, accompanied Miss Jackson who sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Candlelighters were Sandra Davis, sister of the bride, and Judy Brazil.

Bridesmaid was Marilyn Davis, sister of the bride, who wore a ballerina length gown of white organdy and nylon net. Her bouquet was of pink sweetpeas.

Best man was Bill Harris, brother of the bridegroom. Ushers were Ronnie Gill and Jimmie Seitz of Miami.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a white ballerina length dress trimmed in lace and featuring a full skirt with tucks held in place by pink rosebuds. She carried a white Bible topped with a bouquet of pink rosebuds and white carnations.

Mrs. Davis, mother of the bride, wore a black sheath dress with white accessories. Mrs. Harris, mother of the bridegroom, wore a navy blue dress with white accessories. Both wore corsages of white carnations.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of Mrs. Thomas Tucker, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Augusta Hancock, grandmother of the bride. Mrs. Louie Davis, aunt of the bride, served the tiered wedding cake and Mrs. Tucker presided at the punch bowl. Mrs. Lonnie Davis, cousin of the bride, registered the guests. Assisting with the house party were Mrs. Horace Carter, Mrs. Toni Rossi and Mrs. Wayne Griffin.

The bride's going away corsage was a white orchid.

After a trip to points in Colorado the couple will be at home in Canyon until the end of the school term.

Mr. and Mrs. David Boston and twin daughters, Janette and Jenette of Hayward, Calif., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Boston, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Luke and son, Lester, of Cresco, Iowa, spent last week in the Jim Boyd home.

Foster Reviews 'The Far Journey'

Mrs. Lee Foster reviewed The Far Journey by Loula Grace Erdman May 8 at the last Woman's Book Club meeting of the club year.

The author of the book reviewed and her mother, Mrs. A. F. Erdman, were guests at the meeting. Mrs. Claude Moore was also a visitor.

Refreshments were served following the review from a table centered with a Maypole and decorated with lilacs. Hostesses were Mrs. S. H. Condron, Mrs. C. R. Burrow, Mrs. H. A. Brown, Mrs. George D. Moore and Mrs. J. Evetts Haley.

Members present were Mrs. Alfred Bellah, Mrs. Burrow, Mrs. Ray Campbell, Mrs. Condron, Mrs. John Davis, Mrs. Lon Fanning, Mrs. Lee Foster, Mrs. Joe Gibson, Edna Graham, Mrs. Walter Graham, Mrs. Haley, Mrs. Charles Harter, Mrs. Lee Johnson, Mrs. T. S. Maxwell, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. C. A. Murray, Mrs. Irvin SoRelle, Mrs. Fred Standley, Darthula Walker, Mrs. Nolon Henson, Mrs. Leonard Winters and Mrs. Louis Taylor.

Mrs. Keith Clark of Englewood, Calif., visited her mother, Mrs. W. I. Wester, last week. Over the weekend, Mrs. Wester, Mrs. Clark and Jack, and R. E. Wester of Amarillo visited in Carlsbad with I. M. Wester and family.

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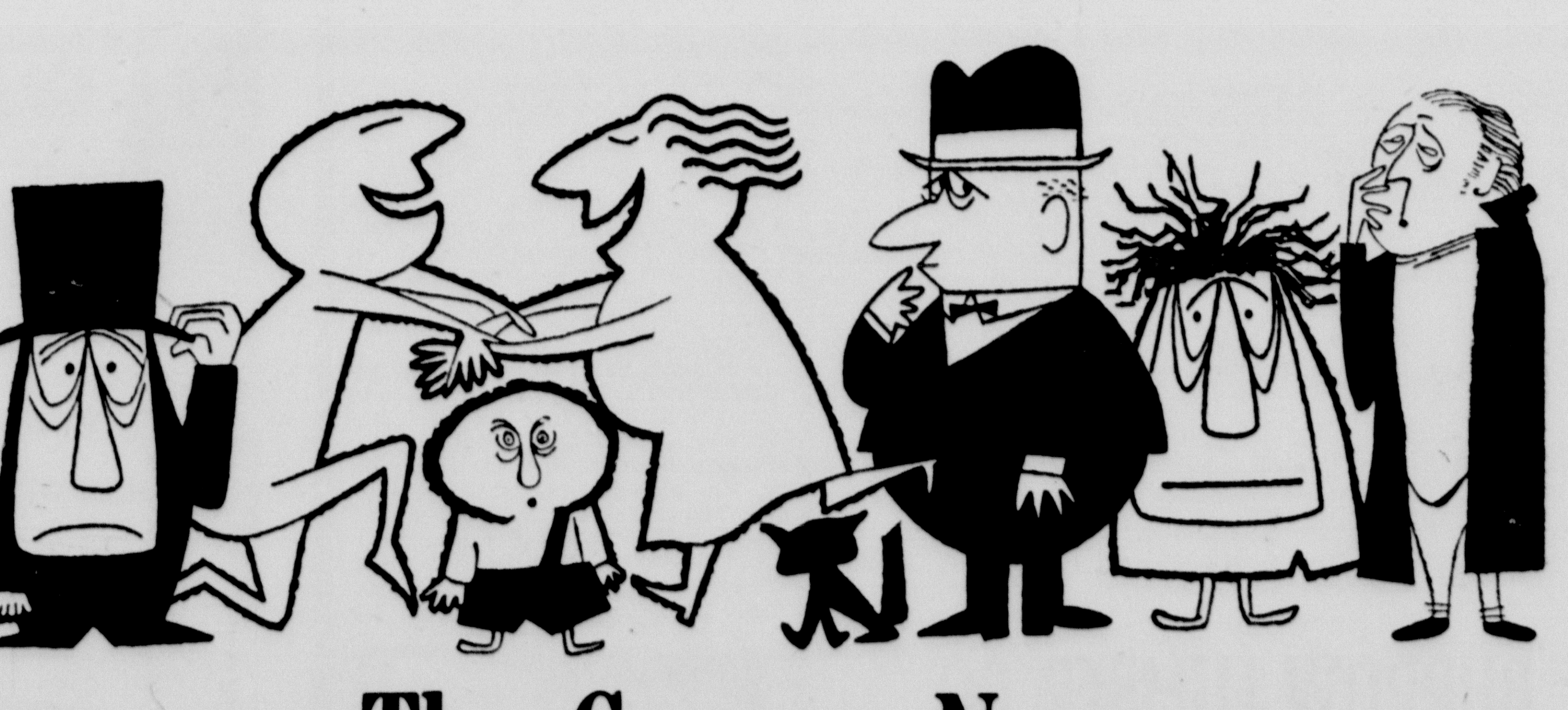

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By VERN SANFORD
Texas Press Association

Texans will be a long time cleaning up from one of the greatest flood disasters in the state's history.

Nearly 10,000 persons were forced out of their homes and some 35,000 square miles were affected, according to official estimates.

State, national and private agencies are cooperating to help the flood victims. At the request of Gov. Price Daniel, Pres. Dwight D. Eisenhower designated the flooded counties as "major disaster areas." It brought an immediate flow of funds, equipment and supplies to aid State Disaster Relief Headquarters.

Governor Daniel also asked the Legislature for $20,000 to replenish the National Guard's fund for emergency work.

As waters receded in most areas, people began to take stock of the future. Though crop damage was estimated as high as $30,000,000, most farmers took a long range view.

Many missed the corn planting season and will have to switch to sorghum or some other crop. Others have put cattle back on dry feed after seeing the best pasturage in years ruined by floods. "But," they say, "at least it's wet."

Water conservationists point to the flood-ruined areas as "Exhibit A" in the case for more dams and lakes. Rampaging rivers could be held in check, they say, saving top-soil and water for future use.

It's Governor Lock Now

Sen. Ottis Lock of Lufkin became Governor for a day and received all the honors customarily paid on such occasions.

May 3 long will be remembered by the 46-year-old lawyer who has served 18 years as a state official.

He issued a proclamation designating the day as Texas Interscholastic League Day; addressed the high school journalists assembled in Austin; served coffee and cake in the reception room of the Governor's office; and attended a banquet given in his honor by his many Lufkin friends.

As president pro tem of the Senate, Lock became Governor for a day when Governor Daniel and Lt. Gov. Ben Ramsey left the state on official business.

Long Talk

Longest filibuster in Texas Senate history brought only a "moral victory" for opponents of school segregation bills.

Sens. Abraham Kazen Jr. and Henry Gonzalez teamed up to talk 36 hours and 2 minutes against a bill to allow school boards to assign pupils to certain schools. When they finally quit, their colleagues passed the measure and sent it back to the House for concurrence on a minor amendment.

Proponents agreed to delay for a few days taking up other segregation bills.

Previous filibuster record was 31 hours and 25 minutes set in 1949 by opponents of a medical bill.

Kazen and Gonzalez were aided by prolonged questions from other anti-segregation minded senators. Those who opposed the bill included Sens. R. A. Weinert, Bruce A. Reagan, Hubert Hudson, Charles Herring, Carlos Ashley and Frank Owen III.

ICT Report

Senate ICT Committee's voluminous report had no kind words for those who had been connected with the $4,000,000 failure.

It said the company was founded contrary to law and operated in a negligent, haphazard and downright fraudulent manner. It sharply criticized Ben Jack Cage, one-time ICT manager, and labor leaders who had helped Cage to sell union people on investing in ICT.

Union officials, it said, had been compromised by "lavish entertainment" or payment of money. Their attitude was called "negligent or at least complacent."

Committee made 20 recommendations for tightening laws to prevent future ICTs. One would make insurance company officials criminally liable for false statements. Another would place insurance securities under supervision of a securities commission.

Naturopaths Set Back

Naturopaths are in a worse quandary than ever now that State Supreme Court has ruled their licenses to practice are no good.

This upheld a lower court ruling that the 1949 licensing law was unconstitutional.

Texas Naturopaths will be in court again next week when Ex-Rep. James E. Cox of Conroe comes to trial. Cox is charged with consenting to accept a bribe from a TNA member in return for killing a bill outlawing naturopathy.

Insurance Reorganization

Governor Daniel is riding a crest of triumph after House passage of his plan to reorganize the Insurance Commission. After weeks of wrangling and nip-and-tuck committee votes, final approval was by a lopsided 109 to 25.

House version calls for a three-man, full-time board all to be appointed by the governor. Senate already has passed a similar bill calling for a part-time board.

Both versions would remove from office John Osorio, the present commission chairman, and member Mark Wentz. Opposition by their friends in the Legislature was one of the main obstacles to reorganization passage. Joe P. Gibbs, the third member of the commission, was appointed recently to serve temporarily.

Thumbs Down

In the push to clear the Legislative calendars, a lot of bills are falling by the wayside. Measures which have already hit the dust include those to:

Abolish the property tax on automobiles and substitute higher registration fees; provide for re-districting of county precincts; require county judges to be lawyers; allow cities on local option to elect officials for four years instead of two; raise the minimum age for senators from 26 to 30 and the minimum for representatives from 21 to 25; require persons over 60 years of age to obtain an annual exemption certificate to vote; prohibit cities from annexing property across county lines; and allow cities to issue bonds to build municipal parking lots.

Approved

Measures which apparently have made the grade:

Allow use of tax money to advertise the state of Texas; levy penalties for tossing litter on public roads, parks and beaches; make it unlawful to carry a switch-blade knife; permit skipping of jury trials in lunacy cases; create a new Securities Commission to handle regulation now divided between the Insurance Commission and Secretary of State's office; create a system of full-time paid supervisors for paroled convicts; and define rights of REA co-ops to operate in areas annexed by cities.

Short Snorts

First six officials to file statements of their personal business interests under the new code of ethics bill were Reps. Joe Pool, Tom Joseph, Joe N. Chapman, Herman V. Puckett Jr., Rufus U. Kilpatrick and State Auditor C. H. Cavness.

New U. S. Sen. Ralph Yarborough is slated as main speaker at a state convention of the Democrats of Texas May 18 in Austin. Identified with the liberal-loyalist block, the DOT has been sharply criticized by the Democrat State Executive Committee.

Wayside News

The Rev. Joe Leatherwood filled his regular appointments Sunday. Mrs. Leatherwood accompanied her husband and they were dinner guests of Mrs. Bessie Lane.

We had another good soaking rain Friday night. It measured 1.30 inches.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Modisette and Fay were Happy callers Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams and Charlotte Adams were in Canyon and Amarillo shopping on Wednesday.

Mrs. Melton McGehee attended a T.H.D.A. meeting in Abilene the first part of the week.

Mrs. Charles Kennedy and Mrs. Ira Schrib were Tulia callers on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Stockett were Claude visitors Wednesday.

Kid Taylor of Happy recently visited in the Cecil Reed home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kennedy were Tulia callers Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Franklin attended the relative get-together last Sunday in the home of Mrs. Ida B. Fortenberry in Amarillo honoring Billy Counterman, who is home on leave from Treasure Island, Calif. Billy attended an electronic school at Treasure Island. His average grade was 90.

Relatives present were Mrs. William Payne and son, Lynn, of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Harrison and Cindy of the Arney community, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Counterman and Billy, Eugene Strohmeyer of Happy and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Counterman of Amarillo.

Billy leaves May 12 for Washington, D. C., where he will be stationed in the Navy.

NO. 988
NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF RANDALL, TO THOSE INDEBTED TO, OR HOLDING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF IDA INGOLD OBERST, DECEASED:

The undersigned, having been duly appointed Executrix of the Estate of Ida Ingold Oberst, Deceased, late of Randall County, Texas, by Roy Joe Stevens, Judge of the County Court of said County on the 18th day of May, A. D. 1957, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said Estate to present them to her within the time prescribed by law at her residence, Dawn, Deaf Smith County, Texas, where she receives her mail, or at the office of J. D. Barker, Canyon, Texas, my attorney, this the 10th day of May, A. D. 1957.

Wilhelmina Agnes Oberst Wimberley, Executrix of the Estate of Ida Ingold Oberst, Deceased. 6t4

Bible Verse to Study

". . . I, the Lord thy God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate me."

1. Where are the above words found in the Bible?
2. Of what are they a part?
3. What author recorded these words?
4. Can you locate a similar verse?

BIBLE VERSE ANSWERS :

1. Exodus 20:5.
2. The Ten Commandments.
3. Moses.
4. Numbers 14:18.

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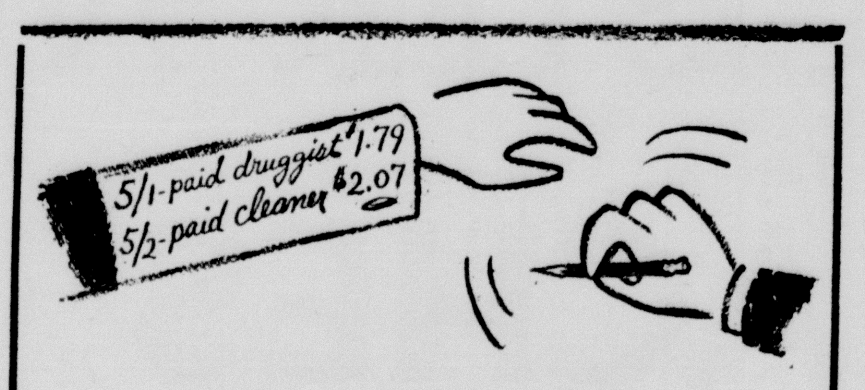

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TELEPHONE TALK

by W. L. Leavy, Manager

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Improvements like these, made behind the scenes, come along month after month, year after year. They're just part of our efforts to make your telephone service possible.

Programs For Your Group

Watching a movie at a Rotary meeting the other day reminded me to tell you about free-loan motion pictures we keep in our telephone film library.

Altogether I guess we have about 100 different 16 mm. films. All are sound-films—many are in color. Some are short ones—just eight or ten minutes. Others run 20 or 30 minutes, even up to an hour. Any of these films would add entertainment to your club program or other group meetings.

School teachers also find telephone films useful as classroom visual aids.

Anytime you'd like to borrow a film from us, just call the telephone business office. If possible, try to give us a few weeks notice so we can make sure it's available the day you need it.

Also, if you'd like to call and give us your name and address, I'd be glad to send you a free catalogue that lists and describes the film and other program materials we have.

Just To Say Hello

Not so many years ago, placing a Long Distance call was a pretty big event. One you saved for important news like telling the folks back home about a new baby.

It's not like that any more. Nowadays, Long Distance calls often start off with, "We just thought we'd call to say hello."

I think this modern cusotm—calling just to chat — keeps growing in popularity because there's something exciting about spanning the miles to hear familiar voices. And, of course, there's nothing like a telephone call when you really want to get *all* the news.

Calling Long Distance regularly costs a lot less than you'd think, especially when you place calls station-to-station. That way you make three calls for the price of two person-to-person calls. And you can also get extra savings by taking advantage of the special low rates every evening after 6 p. m. and all day Sunday.

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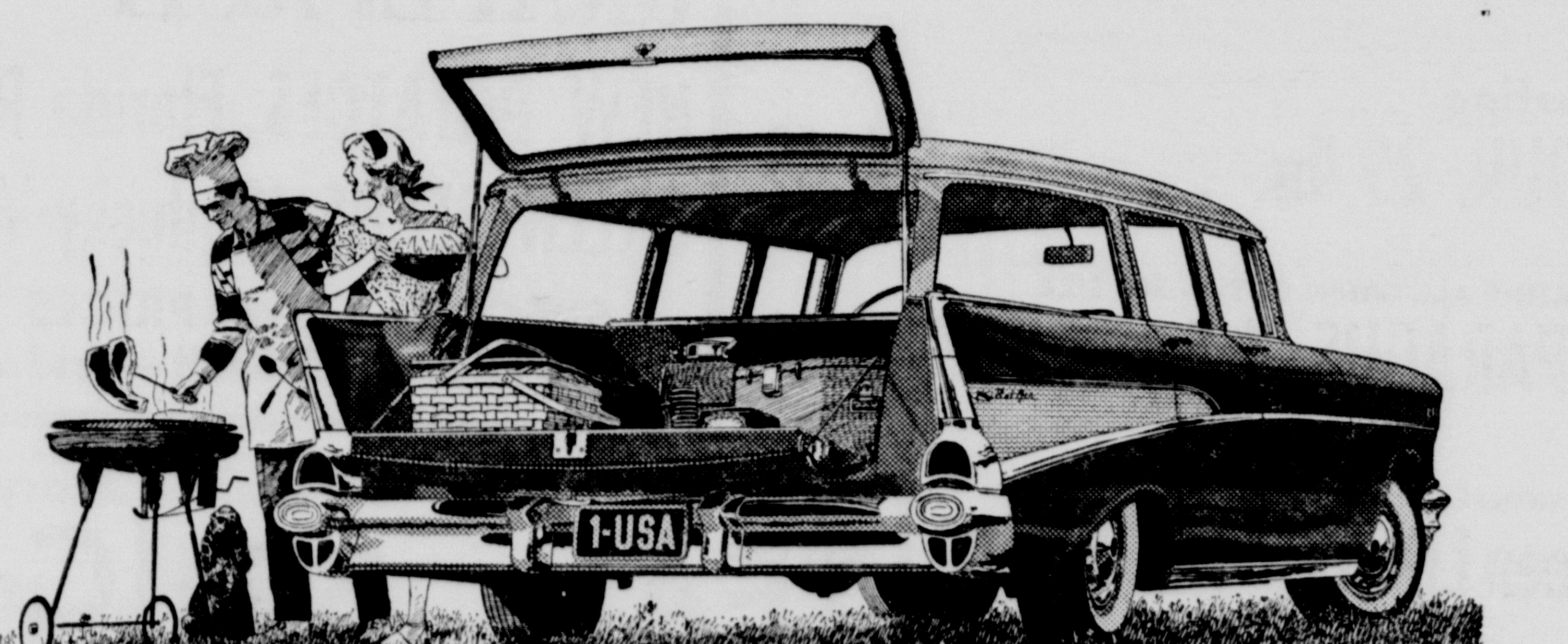

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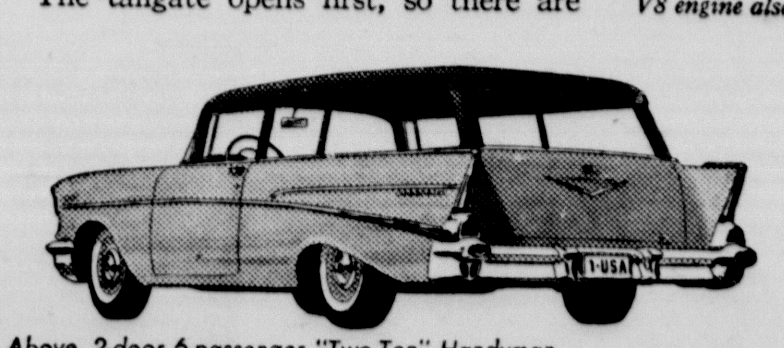

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Two Showers and Tea, Courtesies Given Recently for Hila Begert

Several bridal courtesies have complimented recently Hila Begert the bride-elect of Paul Pepmiller of Rolla, Mo.

May 4 in the P. L. Pitt home, a bridal shower was given. Mrs. Pitt, Mrs. Frank Begert, mother of the bride, and Hila greeted guests. Grace Sheets and Mrs. Clarence Maynard presided at the guest book.

The serving table was laid with a white Madeira embroidered, linen cloth and featured a white china bowl holding white, majestic daisies centered with a cupid figurine holding an arrow inscribed with "Hila" and "Paul." Yellow streamers fell from the arrow and small wedding bells were used in the arrangement.

Mrs. Roscoe Richardson and Mrs. Nolon Henson alternated at the punch bowl.

Hostesses assisting with the entertainment of guests were Mrs. Art Roberts, Mrs. Velton Sorgee, Mrs. Alfred Bellah, Mrs. R. C. Busteed, Mrs. Walter Graham, Mrs. K. L. Pond, Mrs. Eldred Sheets, Mrs. D. J. Maynard. Other hostesses were Mrs. Floyd Tomlinson and Mrs. Nolon Henson.

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A tea honoring Hila was given May 5 in the home of Mrs. George Brockman.

Mrs. Bennie Woods served lime punch from a table laid with an Ecra lace cloth over yellow. The table was centered with a crystal bowl of yellow tulips and white blossoms around a tall candle. Extending from the candle were yellow and white streamers, each ending with a miniature bridesmaid. A miniature bride was placed in the foreground.

The honoree was presented with gifts brought by approximately 50 neighbors and friends.

Hostesses were Mrs. Math J. Albracht, Mrs. Ray Gerber, Mrs. Henry Bracht, Mrs. Albert Fischbacher, Mrs. Bennie Woods and Mrs. Brockman.

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The bride-elect was also honored recently with a personal shower in the Joe Markham home. Hostesses were Mrs. Jess Jones, Earlene Markham and Mrs. Markham.

Bouquets of pansies decorated the entertainment rooms and an arrangement of shasta daisies and white stock centered the dining room table which was laid with a brown linen cloth with yellow trim.

Approximately 20 guests called or sent gifts of lingerie.

Children Visit With Mother in Hospital

Children of Mrs. R. D. Lowry who is in Neblett Hospital, visited her Sunday. Mrs. Lowry's children visiting her were Mrs. Glenn Phillips and Wade of Jerryton, Mr. and Mrs. D. Lowry, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lowry, Judy and Sharon, of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hale of Plainview and Bill Lone of Florence, Texas.

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I GIVE YOU TEXAS

By BOYCE HOUSE

Hick Halcomb's name really was Hick. He had it changed by legal action from Wilbert.

First I heard of him, he was writing a column which he entitlel "The World's Worst Hick" in a small paper out in West Texas. His observations were so amusing that they were widely republished. Later he moved to Austin.

Hick liked to joke and play harmless little pranks. It used to be that you could buy a cup of coffee for a nickel at the hotel coffee shop at the counter but it was a dime at a table, unless you also ordered food. Hick delighted in rounding up three or four friends, seating them at a table and then ordering coffee and one doughnut. He would solemnly call for a knife and cut the doughnut into a small chunk for each individual. Five coffees alone would have been 50 cents; but, by ordering "food," the five coffees and the doughnut came to only 30 cents! Hick would have his chuckle at the waitresses—and then leave a tip that was as much as the check.

A politician whom Hick did not exactly admire, was going to make a speech. Hick took a place right up front and listened with a completely blank look as he stared up at the speaker. After several minutes, Hick said, "I'll be durned!" and walked away. It is hardly necessary to say that the speaker was disconcerted.

There was another politician whom Hick didn't exactly admire either. The man was governor at the time and, in tribute to him, one of the Austin hotels featured a "hillbilly dinner" on a sheet which was attached to the menu. Knowing Hick's view, the waitresses would detach this sheet before handing the menu to Hick.

A new waitress did not know about this. As she handed him the menu, Hick was talking to friends and, without skipping a word, he detached the sheet, crumpled it into a wad and dropped it on the floor, and kept right on talking.

He enjoyed needling his friends but did it in such a humorous fashion that they were amused, too. For example, he would pretend that he could not remember my name. He would greet me, "How are you this morning, Mr. Chouse, Brouse—," then he would pretend to catch himself as he was in the act of uttering "Louse" and would at last come out with the right name. I, in turn, would call him "Holbrook," "Howcome" and three or four more names before saying "Halcomb." Foolish? Of course, but we were amused and so were the bystanders—(and that did not displease either of us).

One day, in the act of introducing Hick to a friend, I had to stop, then said, "Hick, you will love this; I've used our routine so much that I can't remember your right name unless I can go through the sequence."

Hick gave me permission to use one of his stories in a book and I promised him a copy. Each time we'd meet, he'd ask, "Where's my book?" But finally he quit asking for he knew I was dejected by the numerous rejections from publishers.

At last, the book, ("I Give You Texas"), came out but Hick had passed away. I drove from Fort Worth to Austin to attend the service and, as soon as it was over, turned around and drove back to Fort Worth.

Hick was generous and genial and he really only pretended to dislike anyone. Actually, he liked everybody. He was an individual. You would have enjoyed knowing him.

Mother-in-Laws Hear Readings

Readings about mothers were given Thursday at the meeting of the Canyon Mother-in-Law Club in the home of Mrs. C. W. Dunn. The readings were given by Mrs. Mary Burtz, Mrs. W. I. Wester, Mrs. Ed Gidden, and Mrs. H. C. Gentry.

Mrs. H. C. Hudson gave a devotional on Palm Sunday which was followed by prayer lead by Mrs. R. T. Bowman. Cards were sent to Mrs. R. D. Lowry and Mrs. Lillie Foster who are ill.

Mrs. G. W. Cox, Mrs. T. V. Slack, Mrs. R. T. Bowman and Mrs. T. T. Fain were co-hostesses at the refreshment hour when ice cream and cookies were served.

Members present were Mrs. Gentry, Mrs. Bessie Eby, Mrs. Burtz, Mrs. G. B. Combs, Mrs. Gidden, Mrs. W. G. Rose, Mrs. Wester, Mrs. I. M. Steen, Mrs. T. V. Slack, Mrs. E. C. Hawes, Mrs. Lee Jennings, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. C. H. Stratton, Mrs. E. C. Penick, Mrs. G. W. Cox, Mrs. Bowman and the hostesses. Mrs. Wester's daughter, Louise Wester Clark, was a visitor.

SEAT OF THE TROUBLE

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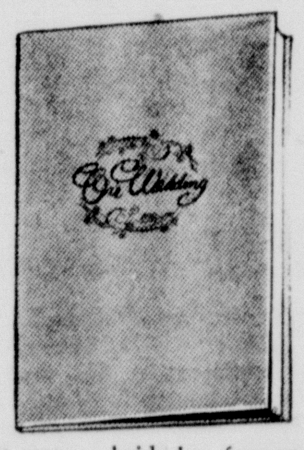

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The Canyon News

AAUW Entertains High School Seniors at Annual Reception

The Canyon branch of the American Association of University Women held the annual spring reception for high school senior girls May 6 in the home of Mrs. Ples Harper from 7:30 until 9 p. m.

Mrs. Dan Sanders, president of the branch, and Mrs. Harper received the guests at the door. The girls, after registration, were presented identification cards decorated with a profile of cap and gown. Mrs. Clara Long, the senior sponsor, was a special guest.

Dr. Mattie Mack introduced Elsa Porter, soprano from the music department of West Texas State College, who sang a group of songs. The selections included, "There's a Song in My Heart," and "Black Roses." She was accompanied by Mary Ruth McCauley, also of West Texas State.

Presiding at the table decorated with a centerpiece of tulips and yellow candles and set with crystal, were Gladys Armstrong and Ruth Cross. Other entertainment rooms were decorated with lilacs and lavender and purple asters.

Hostesses assisting in the dining room were Dr. Ima Barlow, Mrs. Cecil Simms, Mrs. William Haggard, Mrs. Linnie Harter, Mrs. Bill Lee and Mrs. Glenn Dowlen.

Hostesses in the living room were Mrs. Lowell Harrison, Mrs. Ethel Shaw, Dr. Mack, Sarah Thompson, Mrs. Harry Ball and Ada V. Clark.

Favors were made and designed by Mrs. George Blackwell and Mrs. Clay Cooper was in charge of arrangements for the evening.

Wester Reports District Meeting

Mrs. W. E. Wester reported her recent visit in Amarillo with other Rebekah lodges in this district at the Canyon City Rebekah Lodge 350 meeting May 8. The Noble Grand, Mrs. Gladys Pitt, presided at the meeting.

Present were Mrs. Pearl Bowman, Mrs. Hattie Brasuel, Mrs. Myrtle Sparks, Mrs. Maye Bond, Mrs. Wester, Mrs. Mae Johnson, Mrs. Eva Curb, Mrs. Pitt, Mrs. Myrtle Stratton, Berta Crow and Columbia Redfearn.

The next meeting will be May 22.

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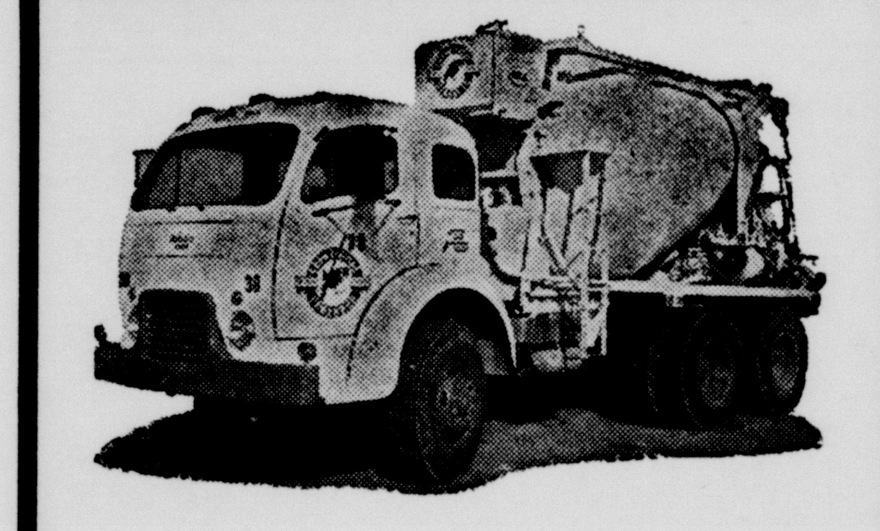

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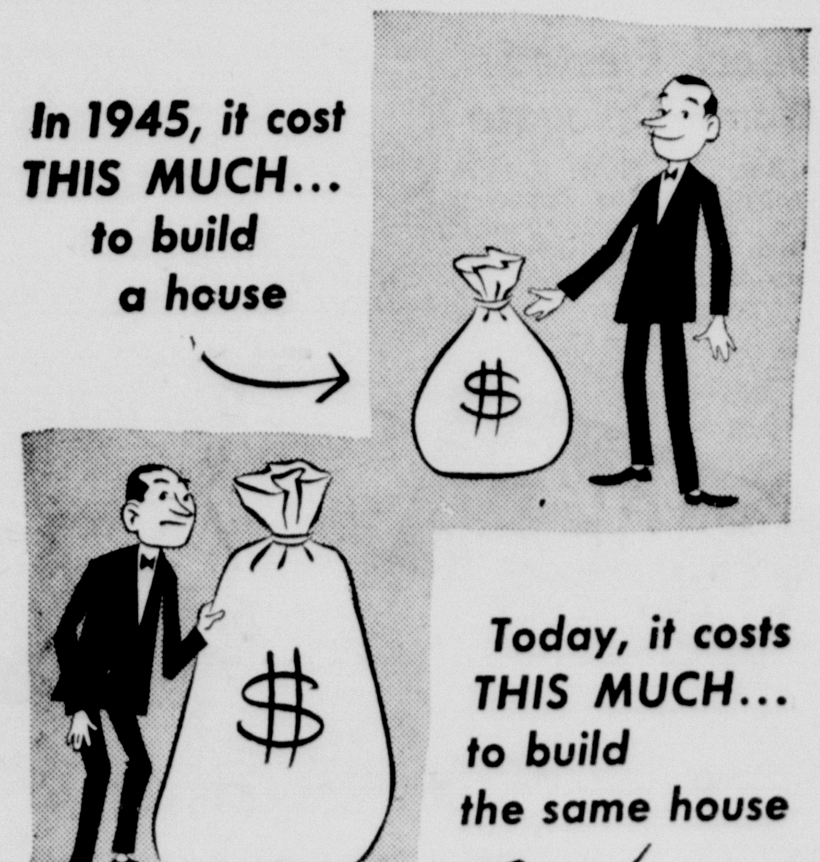

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Downing's Herd Second in DHIA

Neil Downing had the second highest herd in milk and butterfat production during April in the Randall County Dairy Herd Improvement Association.

Downing's herd produced an average of 1270 pounds of milk and 48 pounds of butterfat. The association includes 23 herds with 862 cows milking and 161 dry.

The average production of milk for all the herds was 800 pounds and the average butterfat production was 34 pounds.

H. B. and Jones Hales, Downing, Louis G. Hinders and Richmond Hales had cows ranking high in the list of milk producing cows.

The H. B. and Jones Hales cow, Beauty, produced 2110 pounds of milk and 70 pounds of butterfat.

Downing had two cows placing, Tripp and Irma, with 2060 pounds of milk and 82 pounds of butterfat and 1970 pounds of milk and 63 pounds of butterfat respectively.

Hinders' Holstein 6 produced 2160 pounds of milk and 73 pounds of butterfat. Richmond Hales' Holstein 30 produced 2160 pounds of milk and 65 pounds of butterfat.

Mrs. Frank Scardamaglia of San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. James Stallings and family of Denver, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. Mack Stallings and children of Rison, Ark., are visiting in the Dick Loudder home.

Billie Graham of T.C.U. was home for Mother's Day to visit with her parents, the Walter Grahams.

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Bond Election- -

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tax bonds would drop from $27,000 to $12,000, and the proposed schedule for the new $150,000 bonds would begin paying the new bonds off in that year.

Under the entire schedule for new tax and revenue bonds, the city would have the issue paid off in 1984. The tax bonds would be liquidated in 1976 and the revenue bonds in 1984.

The average annual requirements for paying off both old and new bonds during the entire period would be $57,626.90 under the proposed schedule.

Using the proposed schedule of light payments for the new bonds until the old issues are paid off, the city commission feels that no tax or water rate increases will be needed.

As an indication of the amount of money which the city receives from water and taxes, the taxes paid this year was about $70,000. Water billings were $123,000, for a total of $193,000.

It is expected that valuations from new building in the city will amount to an additional $6500 this year, and water billings should show an increase between $5000 and $8000.

In calling the election, the city commission noted that the better the turnout for voting, the better the interest rate for the bonds when they are sold.

Underwood told the commission that a good turnout at the polls gives bond buyers an indication of the popularity of the bond issue.

Those who will be eligible to vote in the election are residents of the city who have rendered property, either real or personal, for taxation and who have a valid poll tax receipt.

Piano Recital Slated Sunday

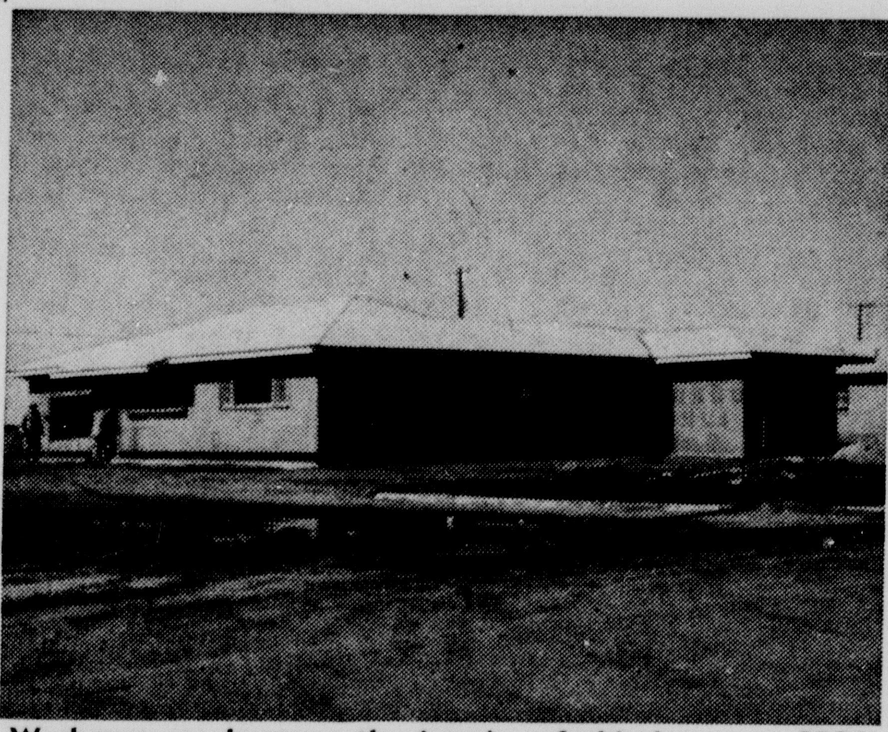
Piano students of Mrs. Ray McReynolds will be presented in a recital at 3 p. m. Sunday in the Elementary School auditorium.

On the program will be June Johnson, David Graham, Paula Westray, Susan Sherer, Mike Wilson, James Devin, Lynn Kelly, Cindy Lee, Katy Upshaw, Carolyn Upshaw, Rosemary Gerdsen, Nancy Lee Petruccione, Charlotte Clark, Wanda Graham and Sue Ragle.

Dennis Haley, Lynda Hughes, Judy Clark, Sue Kiser, Faye Ann Brown, Judy Brazil, Judy Byars, Linda Lowes, Lynn Stevens, Cynthia Brown, Patricia LeGrand, Joe Johnson, Wayne Johnson, Nancy Downing, Doris Ruth Smith, Ruth Ann Purcell and Claiborn Crain.

Pat Gerald of Sweetwater was a dinner guest in his parents' home, the Ed Geralds, Sunday.

Growing City



Workmen are busy on the interior of this house at 2524 Ninth Avenue. The building permit, issued March 27 to Joe Abbott, is for $10,000.

Hagard To Receive PhD Degree At Minnesota Commencement

The Doctor of Philosophy degree will be awarded Luther G. Hagard, assistant professor of government at West Texas State College, by the University of Minnesota at its spring commencement June 15.

Hagard completed all requirements for the degree recently, when he returned to the Minnesota campus for final examinations on his dissertation.

While in Minneapolis, Hagard attended a conference and dinner honoring his major adviser, Dr. William Anderson, who is retiring this year. Dr. Anderson, formerly president of the American Political Science Association, was the primary author of the report of the Commission on Intergovernmental Relations and served on the Hoover Commission.

Among the 260 associates and former students of Dr. Anderson was Dr. J. Edward Gerald, a native of Canyon and former West Texas State student. Dr. Gerald was among a dozen professors who presented papers at the conference.

Hagard's dissertation was "The Quest for Constitutional Equality Among the States in the United States." A study in public law, it deals primarily with state-federal relationships concerned with economic, political and legal equality of states admitted to the Union under the Constitution. Hagard's major was political science, and his minor was history.

Hagard joined the West Texas State faculty in 1953, coming here from The Citadel, where he was assistant professor of political science. He was formerly a teaching assistant at the University of Minnesota and was an instructor in government at Southern Methodist University.

He earned both his B.A. and M.A. degrees at SMU. He served in the Navy during World War II.

Hagard is a member of the American Political Science Association, Pi Sigma Alpha, honorary government fraternity, and the Rotary Club of Canyon.

He and Mrs. Hagard have three daughters, Susan, 6; Allison, 3; and Katherine Anne, 2.

Hospital News

Mrs. R. H. Long, surgical
Billy Richard Dalluge, Tulia, surgical
Billy Dan Crossland, surgical
Mrs. R. D. Lowry, medical
M. B. McManigal, Sr., Happy, medical
Mrs. Burl L. Sims, Happy, surgical
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Mrs. Ira Prichard, surgical
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Wilbur E. Leavitt, Happy, surgical
Patricia A. Lippold, surgical
Richard Roark Sorgee, surgical
Lynn Eugene Noel, Hereford, surgical
Frank H. Morgan, medical
Mrs. Sam P. Jackson, Happy, surgical
Edward C. Powell, Hereford, surgical

College Students

Doyle Wayne Roberts, medical
Mary Jo Smith, medical
Billy Roy Hodgson, medical
Charles Ben Elliott, surgical
Camal Charles Dakil, medical

Births

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Jarrett of Amarillo are parents of a boy born May 7.

It's a boy for Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bateman of Amarillo, born May 12.

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bently McCabe of Canyon on May 13.

Little League- -

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teams will be formed into minor league teams.

The minors act as farm clubs for the majors. A schedule of games will be worked out for the minors when the number of teams is known. The minors will have coaches working under the major league team managers.

Each of the four major league teams will be made up of 15 players, not more than five of whom may be 12 and not less than four of whom must be 10 or younger.

On May 29, each major league team roster must be completed and registered with the league. The first game will be June 3 between the Redlegs and the Yankees.

Report 5 April Deaths in Area

Five deaths on Panhandle highways during April brought the year's fatalities to 34, according to a report issued by Capt. J. W. Blackwell, commanding officer of the Amarillo district of the Texas Highway Patrol.

For the first four months last year, the death figure stood at 27, the reports showed. In April, 1956, 11 persons were killed.

Some 57 persons were injured in the 112 accidents during April. The property damage amounted to $64,640.

Speeding remained the principal violation causing accidents in April. Other violations causing wrecks were driving while drinking, driving on the wrong side of the road not in passing, failure to grant right of way and improper passing.

So far this year, the property damage in wrecks has been more than a quarter of a million dollars—$294,253.

The 37 patrolmen of the 26-county district made 938 traffic arrests, 365 of which were for speeding and 33 for driving while intoxicated, and issued 2059 warnings for hazardous violations.

They worked 5638 daytime hours and 2959 hours at night, and drove 90,776 miles.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cox and girls of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brown of Dimmitt spent Mother's Day with their mother, Mrs. B. C. Taylor Sr.

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Phog Allen Due At Sports Dinner

The president of Shamrock Oil Corporation, J. Harold Dunn, will emcee West Texas State's all-sports banquet in the college cafeteria at 7:30 Friday night.

Dunn will be in charge of a program that will feature Dr. Forrest (Phog) Allen, former Kansas basketball coach and one of the most colorful sports figures in the country.

All West Texas athletes will be honored and special awards will be made to the "most valuable" players in football and basketball. President James P. Cornette will make the second annual "president's award" to the footballer who made the most of his native ability.

Tickets sell for $2.50 to the public and only 200 will be available due to the space limitations.

They are on sale at Buck's Sporting Goods in Amarillo. In Canyon, they can be obtained at the college athletic office, Western Auto, Warren's, Sternenberg Lumber, Southwestern Public Service, Canyon News, Bellah Market, Griffin Service Station, Canyon Motors, Hosea Foster Insurance, Cole & Davis Insurance, Burrow Lumber and Cooper's Market.

Joanne Hill's Pupils Will Be in Recital

Pupils of Joanne Hill will be presented Sunday in a piano recital at 4 p. m. in the Happy Elementary School auditorium.

Performing will be Carol Hardaway, Bethy Hardaway, Carolyn Boston, Thena Gray, Judy Jackson, Betty Jackson, Linda Knowles, Dixie McGehee, Gayle White, Pauline Taylor and Charlene Rickwartz.

The public is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Byars and Judy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Smith in Borger.

Haddock Elected National Delegate

The Rev. Mrs. C. W. Haddock, former pastor of the Pentecostal Holiness Church, was recently elected to represent the women's auxiliary of the Great Plains Conference at the national convention.

Mrs. Haddock was elected at the Great Plains Conference convention held in Amarillo May 9. She will attend the national convention at Franklin Springs, Ga., June 9-12.

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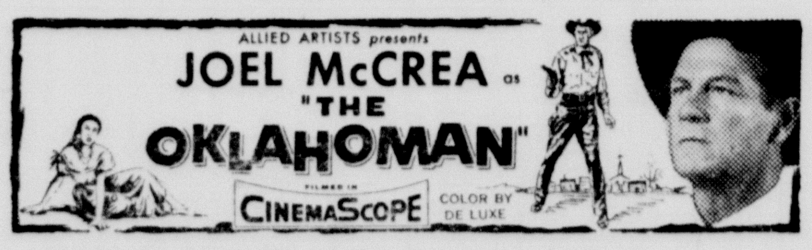

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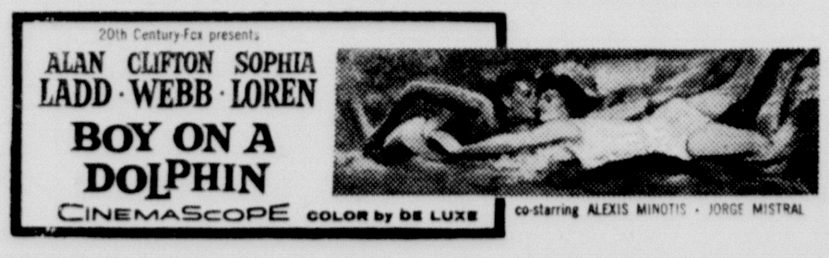

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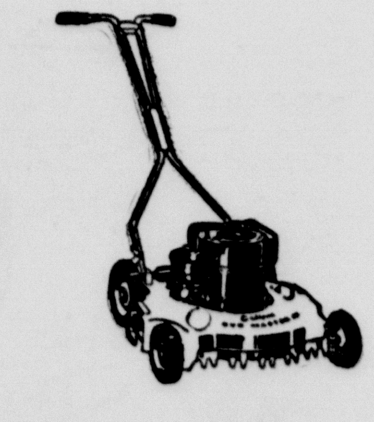

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Cherry Blossoms

By DOVIE CHERRY

Since this is graduation time or nearly graduation time, the most appropriate subject to write about, it seems to me, is something pertaining to graduates.

Now what phase of a graduate's many events, problems and thoughts should I write about? One of the most appropriate subjects I thought of was vocations.

Certainly that's one of the foremost thoughts in a high school graduate's mind and especially in a college graduate's mind. The high school graduate thinks, "For what vocation am I going to prepare in college?" Or, if he is not planning to go to college, "In what field of work do I want to start?"

The college graduate probably knows, or if he doesn't he probably thinks, "Boy, I had better get on the ball and decide."

Well, then maybe both would like to hear what employed persons think of their job whether it be a filling station operator or a doctor, and why they chose that field. If so, I hope they can get something out of the series of columns I plan to write on that very subject.

The first interview was with Joyce Rushmer, Mrs. Gort Rushmer to be formal, who is secretary to R. B. Allen.

"I wouldn't trade, now, for anything," said Joyce in regard to her job. She enjoys her work which involves not only typing and filing but bookkeeping and being a receptionist.

Why do you enjoy your work, Joyce? "It makes me think," she said. After being a housewife for several years she felt she was becoming "stagnant" mentally. But, being a secretary keeps her mentally alert, or as she said, "I have to make decisions on my own."

Secretarial work not only offers mental challenge, Joyce finds, but it is also advantageous in that it challenges a secretary to look neat and as attractive as possible, to be as efficient as possible and to be diplomatic and pleasant.

"A secretary cannot name her price, but if she is good she can earn a good salary and win the respect not only of her employer, but of her associates," she said.

Are there any disadvantages to secretarial work, Joyce?

"No . . . but let me elaborate on that statement." She explained that this is strictly her opinion. She further said that most girls and women think that the extra hours that one sometimes has to put in are a disadvantage, but to her they aren't.

To those who think a continual routine of typing and filing would be the world's number one bore, she answers with a bit of philosophy. "Happiness is a state of mind." She continued, "She (the secretary) should take enough interest in her work for it not to be boring."

Joyce believes a secretary needs to use initiative and, in fact, she believes initiative is the secret to success in all jobs and is the foremost quality which young people need to have.

Why did you choose secretarial work?

"I don't know. When I applied for this secretarial job, I wasn't sure I really wanted it." In fact, she was doing substitute teaching.

Why the change? Because she was unable to secure a teaching position in Canyon yet wanted to work. She couldn't move away because her husband works here, and so she decided to give secretarial work a try.

And she has been very glad that she did. An odd slant to her story is she had always declared she would never work with books. Although she was good in math she disliked it, but now bookkeeping is the favorite part of her work and offers her the most mental challenge.

Now, this is where this interview may seem to be less than ideal for an article of this type, but actually it is, because it is a living, home-town example of what happens to so many people.

You see, Joyce did not have college preparation for her present job. She earned her bachelors and master's degrees in speech, then went back to college and earned another B.A. degree in preparation for teaching.

She has learned to be a secretary the hard way, but a way she believes has really taught her what she needs to know. But, she definitely advises all young people who plan to be secretaries to go to college and take business courses.

She believes that one needs college not only for training in a specific field, but to teach one to get along with his fellow man. Another advantage of college which she lists is the additional knowledge the student receives outside of his major.

She finds that her speech major has helped her in her work, not only to talk with people, but to get along with them. Other courses, such as English, have been beneficial.

Would you advise young people to go into secretarial work?

"Definitely," she said.

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With occupations on my mind, I began wondering just how many people were in what occupations in the United States. A brief thumbing through the 1957 World Almanac revealed that during July 8-14, 1956, there were these numbers of people in the following occupations:

Professional, technical and kindred workers, 5,603.

Farmers and farm managers, 3,712.

Managers, officials and proprietors, except farm, 6,832.

Clerical and kindred workers, 9,047.

Sales workers, 4,210.

Craftsmen, foremen and kindred workers, 8,956.

Operatives and kindred workers, 12,618.

Private household workers, 2,121.

Service workers, except private household, 5,716.

Farm laborers and foremen, 3,790.

Laborers, except farm and mine, 4,050.

Total employed, 66,655.

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Spanish Potato Omelet Is Hearty Meal

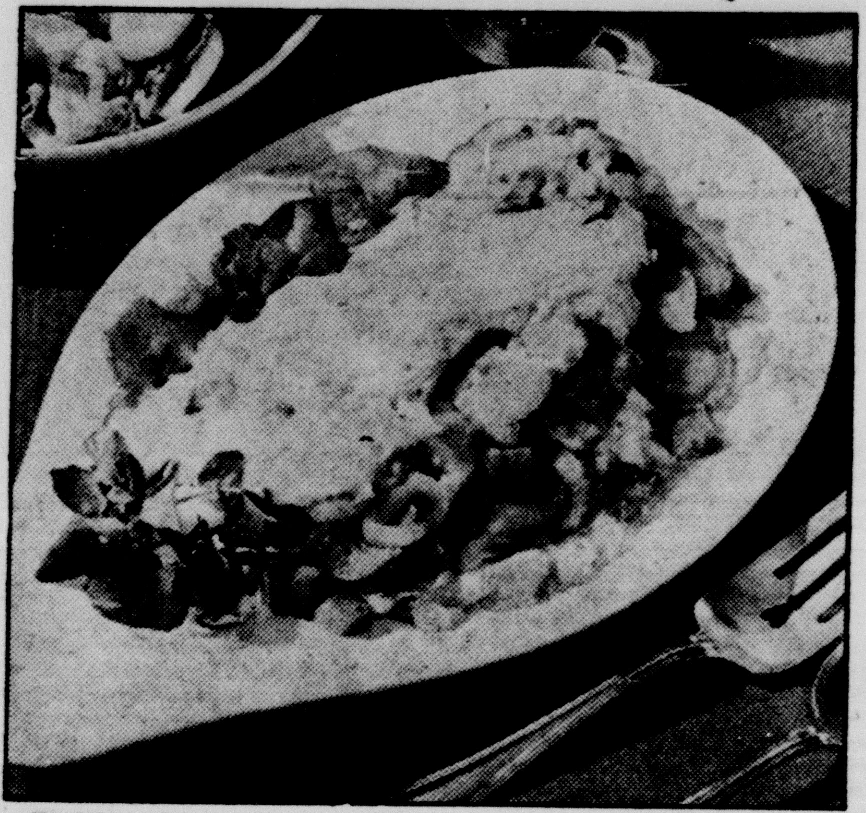
BY DOROTHY MADDOX

IN Spain, land of olive trees, a long, leisurely lunch often means a hearty omelet. Here's a recipe that uses ham, potatoes and onions as well as eggs.

Spanish Potato Omelet
(4 servings)

One-quarter cup Spanish olive oil, 1 cup sliced raw potatoes, ¼ cup sliced onions, ½ cup diced ham, 6 eggs, 1 teaspoon salt, ⅛ teaspoon pepper, 3 tablespoons water.

Heat olive oil in skillet and add potatoes and onions. Cook over moderate heat about 10 minutes until potatoes are almost tender, turning occasionally. Add ham and cook about 10 minutes longer, turning once or twice. Beat eggs with salt, pepper and water just to blend. Pour over potatoes and cook over low heat about 5 minutes or until eggs are just set. As eggs cook, scrape in from outer edge of skillet so that center will cook. Serve at once.



Exciting change of pace with a Spanish touch is this omelet, using eggs, ham, potatoes and onions.

Canned corn is in super-abundance now. So let's take advantage and make this pudding.

Pocahontas Pudding
(6 servings)

Two slices bacon, cut in squares; 1 cup chopped onions, 2 eggs, 1 No. 303 can whole kernel corn, drained; 1 cup milk, 1 teaspoon salt, ¾ teaspoon pepper.

In skillet, saute bacon until golden. Remove bacon bits and drain on paper toweling. In bacon fat in skillet, saute onions until tender and golden. In greased half-quart casserole, beat eggs. Add corn, milk, salt, pepper, browned onions and bacon. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 1 hour and 15 minutes, or until silver knife inserted in center comes out clean.

Plan Remedial Reading Clinic

A remedial reading clinic for public school children of the Panhandle area will be organized here in Canyon for the summer months.

The clinic will be held in the Education Building on the West Texas State College campus, and will be directed by Mrs. Nell Findley, a Canyon High School teacher, and Mrs. Alice Madore, a first grade teacher in Amarillo. West Texas State students enrolled in a graduate education course, Problems in the Teaching of Reading, will serve as clinicians.

Two three weeks terms, one five weeks, one six weeks, and one eleven weeks, will be organized. First three-week term, the six week session and the eleven week term will open June 3.

More than an hour each day will be devoted to work with the child, along with individual and group activities aimed for improvement of reading and correction of specific reading disabilities.

Admission to the clinic will be by referral by the child's school, a physical report, the results of a mental maturity test, arranged by the school or parents, a list of books the child has read, or will be reading in the fall, and a conference with the parents.

Additional information about the clinic may be secured from Dr. Ruth Lowes, professor of education at WT.

Mrs. Findley has had experience as a high school remedial reading teacher. In 1952-53, she received a Ford Foundation fellowship and spent part of her year at Temple University Reading Clinic, working under Dr. Emmett A. Betts.

Mrs. Madore had work in remedial reading at New York University, and last summer, she was a member of the staff of the Remedial Reading Clinic at Plattesburg, N. Y., State Teachers College.

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Pastors Endorse Special Soil Week

The Canyon Pastor Association, which met Monday morning at the First Christian Church, decided to endorse the Soil Stewardship Week, May 26 to June 2, sponsored by the Randall-Potter Conservation District.

There will be special observances in all the churches of the association on one of the Sundays of the Soil Stewardship Week.

In further business, the Rev. Gerald Findley was elected secretary-treasurer of the pastors' association. He is the new pastor of the First Christian Church.

The date for the pastor preaching mission was set for Dec. 30 through Jan. 3.

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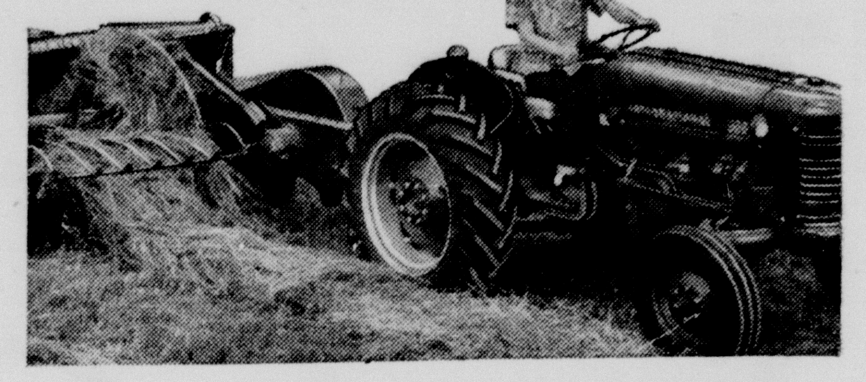

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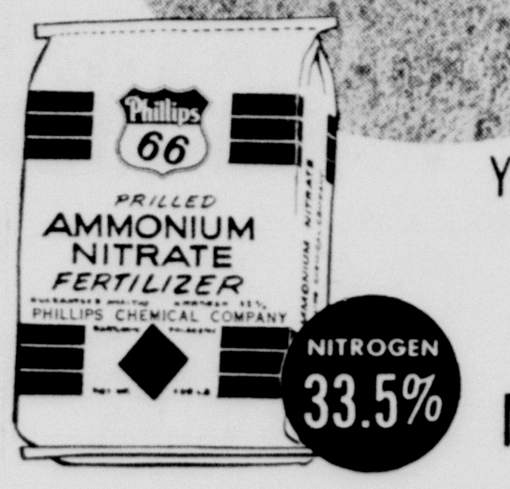

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Umbarger P-TA Installs Officers

Installation of officers will be the main business of the Umbarger P-TA meeting Friday night at 8:30 in the school hall.

Officers taking oath will be Mrs. Ben Koch, president; Mrs. Leonard Batenhorst, vice president; Mrs. Ray Gerber, secretary; Mrs. Dennis Brandt, treasurer; Mrs. L. L. Raef, parliamentarian.

SHY OF GAS

Dentist's Daughter — "Well, dear, have you asked father for my hand yet?"

Shy Suitor — "No. Every time I step into his office I lose courage. Today I allowed him to pull another tooth."

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One way of meeting this objective is to utilize all crop residues. Crop residue utilization involves the management of crop residues and other vegetative materials so as to leave a protective cover on the surface of the soil during the critical period of the year, usually fall, winter and spring.

Large quantities of fertilized residues of sorghums, corn or small grains returned to the soil will improve as well as protect the soil.

A good cover of crop residues on the soil will protect that soil from blowing, aid in the prevention of packing so that rainfall or irrigation water will penetrate more rapidly, residues add humus to the soil which acts as a sponge to hold more water, and the residues will shade the soil so there will be less evaporation.

Management of crop residues should include proper grazing, no burning, and permitting the stubble to stand through the fall, winter, and early spring.

On heavy textured irrigated and dryland soils, the seedbed preparation should incorporate most of the residue into or near the soil surface with enough residue and clodiness left to protect the land from wind and water erosion.

Contact the local Soil Conservation Service technicians or the supervisors of the Randall-Potter Soil Conservation District for information about a complete conservation plan for your farm or ranch.

Review Honors ROTC Seniors

Graduating seniors of the West Texas State College Reserve Officers' Training Corps unit will be honored Thursday at a graduation review and awards day ceremony.

Lt. Col. Edward L. Lindsey, professor of military science and tactics, has invited the public for the corps' review at 1 p. m. on the college drill field, and for the awards presentation program at 2 p. m. in the Administration Building auditorium.

A total of 18 awards will be presented to cadets who have compiled outstanding records and to top units within the corps of cadets.

Top four awards to individuals are those presented to the outstanding cadets of each class. They are the President's Trophy, to the outstanding senior; the PMS&T award to the top junior; the W. E. Lockhart Trophy, for the outstanding sophomore, given by the Palo Duro Post No. 97, American Legion; and the Martin Allen Dickinson Trophy, for the outstanding freshman, given by the Lucius Penick Post, VFW.

The Col. T. H. McDonald trophy will go to the outstanding cadet company, while an honor medal will be given the outstanding basic cadet by the Texas Society, Sons of the American Revolution.

Other awards will be given to cadets in each class with best academic records, to the outstanding summer camp cadet, to most valuable members of the rifle and drill teams, and to cadets for proficiency in military history.

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TO: BOBBY GRESHAM ELLINGTON, Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 47th Judicial District Court in and for Randall County at the Court House thereof, in Canyon, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 1st day of July A. D. 1957, then and there to answer by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 13th day of May A. D. 1957, in this cause, numbered 3340 on the docket of said court and styled NADINE THELMA ELLINGTON Plaintiff, vs. BOBBY GRESHAM ELLINGTON Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

A suit for a divorce of and from the defendant, Bobby Gresham Ellington, and for the permanent custody of the child born of the marriage of Nadine Thelma Ellington and Bobby Gresham Ellington, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Canyon, Texas, this the 13th day of May A. D. 1957.

ATTEST:
MAVIS HILL, Clerk,
47th Judicial District Court,
Randall County, Texas
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David Matthis Discusses Problems Of Revising Texas Constitution

"Problems of Constitutional Revisions in Texas" was the subject discussed Friday by David Matthis, government instructor at West Texas State, at this year's last regular meeting of the Junior Woman's Book Club in the parlor of the First Methodist Church.

"Texas is in more need of a constitutional revision than any other state," Matthis said in beginning his talk. Reasons he gave for the inadequacy of the Texas Constitution were:

1. It was inadequate when drawn up in 1876 and was so because it was drawn up to prevent an autocratic type of government that had reigned previously—the carpet-bagger rule.

2. The constitution was not drawn up to fit the needs of the future. According to Matthis a constitution serves the people if it reflects the needs of the people.

In referring to the nine amendments voted on by the Texas public last summer, he stressed that these were for a legislative government to deal with, not to come into fundamental government.

Reasons which Matthis listed explaining why the constitution has not been revised were:

1. There is the general opinion that there must never be a constitutional convention during controversial issues or a crisis.

2. There is no well defined program for reform.

3. There is a feeling of ancestor worship, i.e., "What was good enough for our forefathers is good enough for me."

4. There is no widespread demand for it.

In the business meeting preceding the speaker, Mrs. Eugene Bonds was elected treasurer to replace Mrs. Lindsey Taylor who has resigned.

The club constitution committee report was given by Mrs. Bruce Winn. She reported on the amendments which had been further revised following the tabling of the amendments in March. All the revised amendments were accepted.

Mrs. Don Standley reported that three Peace roses had been planted by club members at Conner Park, and called for volunteers to care for the roses during the summer.

Umbarger News

Dinner guests at the E. J. Friemel home on Mother's Day were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Friemel and Phyllis, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Friemel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Friemel and family from Groom, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Friemel and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Wieck and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Haschke and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Friemel, Mr. and Mrs. Roman Friemel and Gary, Leonard Meyer and Nelson from Groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Hoffman and family were dinner guests in the Charles Heymer home of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Westhoff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Artho and family visited in the Leo Artho home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wieck and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Artho and David, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Reinhart and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fangman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Artho and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Artho and family visited in the Paul Artho home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gerber and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Gerber visited in the home of Math Gerber of Nazareth.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Anderwald and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gerber and family visited in the Henry Gerber home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Batenhorst and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wieck and family, Mr. and Mrs. Isidore Reinhart and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Reinhart and family visited in the Joe Reinhart home.

Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Skypala and family visited in the Ed Wieck home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Artho and David, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Batenhorst and family visited in the Raymond Batenhorst home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Liekhus and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wieck and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Conklin and family visited in the John Bedenk home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hartman and family were dinner guests in the Lewie Raef home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gerber and family visited relatives in Nazareth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vorwald and family visited Sunday evening in the Dennis Brandt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Brandt were visited by Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Batenhorst and Sylvester Batenhorst.

Bill Stocker and Sabina Stocker visited in the home of Max Hoffman.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beckman and Phyllis spent the evening in the Math Albracht home.

Exchanging visits were Mary Ann Frank with Yvonne Friemel.

TAKE IT EASY, PA!

Rather proudly a western farmer was telling relatives about the fortitude with which he had endured the rigors of the past winter.

"Snowbound for three weeks," he said. "Low on grub and fuel. Yet, in 30-below weather, I battled storms and tended to my chores. Had to keep a stiff upper lip, I did."

"What else could you do, Pa?" put in his quiet little wife, "And with all those icicles hanging to your moustache?"

WELL LABELED

An elderly and somewhat innocent couple were vacationing aboard one of the big luxury liners. The wife, who took a lively interest in fellow passengers, remarked to her husband:

"Did you notice the huge appetite of the man opposite us at dinner?"

"Yes," replied her husband drily, "he must be what they call a stowaway."

Mrs. Coffee Will Present Students

Mrs. Herschel Coffee will present the following pupils in recital May 22 at 4:15 p. m. in the elementary school auditorium.

Audrey Lee Leogue, Sherry Killingsworth, Stephen Hines, Holly Jo Troth, Cynthia Gerald, Janis Miller, Trudy May Johnson, Linda Metcalf, Kathy Townsend, Sandra Ellis, Phillip Huckaba, Tom Langston, Stephen Langston, Jackie Stone, Deborah Wirt, Mary Johnson, Loretta Bonds, Linda Salmon and Nancy Bonds.

The public is invited.

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The rector was visiting one of his parishioners, an elderly lady afflicted with deafness. She expressed her regret at not being able to hear his sermons.

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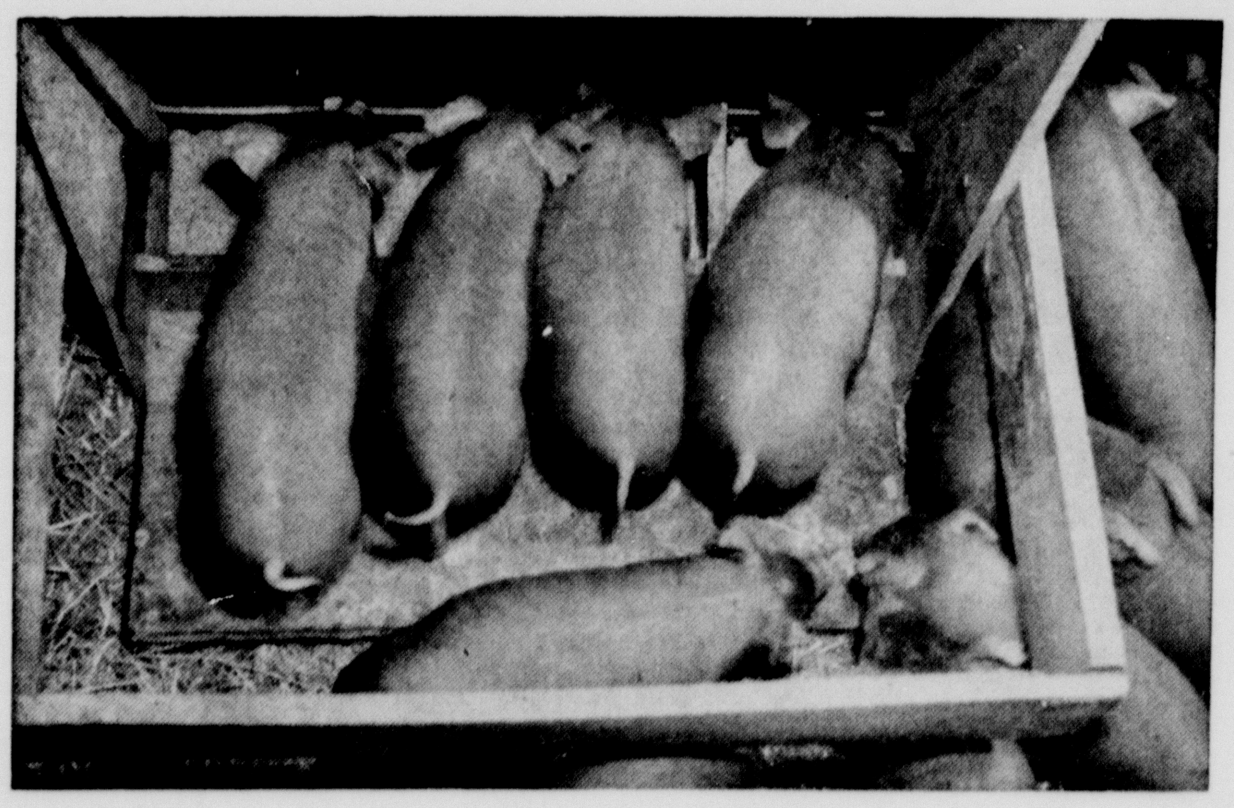

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Tech Professor Details Story of Founding, Growth, Sale of Matador

Today's child and his father, gazing at television and movie screens, have an inkling of the color and action of the romantic, riotous and brief drama that was the open range cattle industry, Dr. William M. Pierce told the more than 300 persons who attended the 36th annual Panhandle-Plains Historical Society banquet Friday night.

The head of the history department at Texas Tech traced the story of the famed Matador Ranch from its founding in 1879 to its final sale in 1951.

Following the end of the Civil War, hundreds of Texas veterans returned home to find thousands of longhorn cattle roaming free in that portion of Texas lying South of San Antonio. Among these were Henry H. (Hank) Campbell, a North Carolinian by birth who moved to Texas with his parents in 1840, he said.

Campbell gained experience in cattle driving on trail drives to New Orleans, California and Dodge City. By 1878, he had acquired a herd of his own and took them to Chicago, where he sold them for $23 a head, Pearce said.

In Chicago, it was learned that Campbell had paid only $9 a head for the herd and had realized a gross profit of $14. The thought of such profits prompted a Chicagoan, Col. Alfred M. Britton, to persuade Campbell that a partnership was in order.

Following an arrangement between the two, Campbell pocketed a roll of the Colonel's cash and started back to Texas to find a ranch and stock it, Dr. Pearce said.

Campbell selected a range lying between the headwaters of the Red and Brazos systems, south of the area grazed by Col. Charles Goodnight. At Ballard Springs, in Motley County, Campbell established his headquarters and began acquiring land and cattle in the name of the Matador Cattle Company of Texas. According to one account, five men organized the company and contributed $10,000 each to create its capital at $50,000, Dr. Pearce said.

The five men were Campbell, Britton, S. W. Lomax and John Nichols of Fort Worth, a brother-in-law of Britton, and a Mr. Cata of New York. Lomax selected the company's name.

Among the first cattle purchased by Campbell was a herd of 1300 head secured from John Dawson and branded "V" on the right side. This mark, peculiar and distinctive, was adopted for all Matador cattle. Sometimes called the "Running V" it was most often referred to as the "Matador V."

Another brand, 50M, was retained for the horse herd, and is reputed to have stemmed from the original capital of the ranch.

With additional purchases of cattle and lands, by 1882 the range controlled by Campbell and his associates covered 1½ million acres in Motley, Dickens, Cottle and Floyd counties. In 1881 the first cattle were marketed after being driven south to Colorado City and the better steers brought $75 per head.

The ranch books showed a profit and with more land in West Texas to be "developed" for ranching, Col. Britton sailed for England in 1882 in the hopes of interesting investors there in a ranching enterprise.

Before the year ended, Col. Britton was successful. A group of Dundee, Scotland, business-men formed a joint-stock company and the directors entered into an agreement to purchase the Texas concern for $1¼ million.

The purchase included 40,000 head of cattle, 265 horses, 100,000 acres of land held in fee simple and grazing rights to over 1¼ million acres, Dr. Pearce told the audience.

The sale was completed on Dec. 23, 1882, and the Matador Land and Cattle Company, Ltd., of Dundee, Scotland, went into the ranching business.

Campbell remained as resident ranch superintendent and Britton became one of six directors of the company, serving as manager with an office in Fort Worth until 1885. William F. Sommerville, a Scot, went to Fort Worth as assistant manager. In Scotland, Alexander Mackay was named secretary.

The stock of the company was disposed of to many persons, factory workers in Dundee purchasing large numbers of shares.

In the first year of operation, an additional 270,000 acres of land was purchased. A drouth and low cattle prices forced the directors of the company to go into their own pockets to create a reserve fund during the middle 1880's, and the ranch was developed with windmills, tank-dams and fencing.

Profits began rising late in the 1880's when the beefier cattle resulting from the importation of Hereford bulls in 1883 began to pay off. The completion of the Fort Worth and Denver railroad gave better access to market.

In Dec. 1890, Sommerville, who had become manager following Britton in 1885, fell from a windmill tower at his home in Fort Worth and was killed. His successor was Murdo Mackenzie of Trinidad, Colo., who was destined to build the Matador into a great ranch.

Taking over in 1890, Mackenzie moved the American headquarters of the Matador to Trinidad and began an accurate tally of the herd. Completed in 1892, the count showed a total of 70,000 head.

In 1892, a drouth forced the company to seek more grazing lands, and found 250,000 which could be leased for five cents per acre for two years. This land, belonging to the Francklyn Land and Cattle Company, lay in Carson and Gray counties and was known as the White Deer pasture. It was leased until 1902.

Also in 1892, the company began pasturing two-year olds in Wyoming for an additional two years before marketing.

In 1901, the Matadors learned they could not lease the White Deer pasture again and an agreement was made with the XIT, then being sold off, to purchase the 150,000 acre Alamositas pasture lying south of the Canadian in Oldham County and 63,000 acres of the Rita Blanco pasture lying north of the river at a price of $2 per acre.

The northern pasture idea was a successful venture and the Matadors moved into Canada, leasing 50,000 acres of grass land in Saskatchewan for $1000 a year. Subsequent leases gave the Matadors an additional 150,000 acres. The company was to remain in Canada from June 1905 to 1921.

The various acquisitions stretched the Matadors from the Motley county original ranch, to the northern Panhandle, up to Wyoming and into Canada. The Matadors switched pastures in Wyoming from the Belle Fourche range to a 530,000 acre tract on the Cheyenne River Indian Ranch in South Dakota in 1904.

The Motley ranch was the breeding grounds. Yearlings were shipped to Alamositas for an additional year and then were shipped to one of the northern pastures for two years before being sold.

In 1911, Murdo Mackenzie resigned as manager to go to Brazil to manage a ranch. His nephew, John MacBain took over as manager.

In 1914, the northern pasture was again shifted, this time to a 400,000 acre tract of the Fort Belknap reservation in northern Montana.

In 1916, the acquisition of the Romero pasture from John Shelton of Amarillo and purchases of 7800 acres in Montana and 3400 acres in Motley county brought the company's land ownership to 879,000 acres, the largest in Matador history.

Murdo Mackenzie moved back to the United States following World War I and was elected to the board of directors. In 1922 MacBain died of a heart attack and Mackenzie again became manager.

During the 1920's, the American taste for beef shifted from four-year olds to "baby beef," so the northern ranges of the Matador were released in 1928 and the ranch moved all its operations back to Texas. An additional 47,000 acres adjoining Alamositas on the north were purchased.

In 1937, Murdo Mackenzie retired and his son, John, became manager.

In 1951, Lazard Brothers and Company, Ltd., purchased the stock of the Matador Land and Cattle Company, Ltd., and a new corporation was formed of former Matador shareholders to hold half the mineral rights to the 400,000 acres at Matador, 394,000 acres at Alamositas and the small holding in Montana.

The new company was named Toreador.

With the liquidation of the company, the last of the great foreign-owned cattle companies devoted exclusively to the production of beef disappeared, Dr. Pearce said.

Notary Renewal Set June 1-10

Holders of Notary Public commissions who wish their commissions renewed must re-qualify between June 1 and June 10, according to an announcement by Zollie Steakley, Texas Secretary of State.

To re-qualify, the commission holder must file a new oath and bond with the county clerk.

Any person who is not now a Notary Public, but desires an appointment, should apply to the county clerk between May 1 and May 20.

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